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REV. LON MORRIS ENDOWS A COLLEGE

In 1873 Rev. Isaac Alexander, a pioneer Methodist preacher and educator, established the Alexander Institute at Kilgore, Texas. In 1875 he turned it over to the East Texas Conference. In 1894 the school was moved from Kilgore to Jacksonville, Texas, where for thirty years Alexander Collegiate Institute has been training young men and young women for the largest usefulness, and out from her walls have gone many leaders in both church and state, among them such illustrious sons as Governor Tom Campbell, Congressman John C. Box, Judge Dan Walker of the Court of Appeals, Beaumont, and many other worthy leaders in all walks of life.

Dr. Alexander frequently told the board of trustees that if some one could be found who would endow the school and thus secure it to the future, he was anxious that the name of the school be changed accordingly. Recently the Texas Annual Conference raised twenty-five thousand dollars and paid the indebtedness of the school and Rev. R. A. (Lon) Morris of Pittsburg, Texas, has given it a hundred thousand dollars endowment. Brother Morris is one of the great characters of Texas.

Rev. Reuben Alonzo Morris is the son of Rev. S. S. Morris and Mary Ann James Morris, who moved to Texas from near Atlanta, Georgia, in 1848. Reuben Alonzo was born near Marshall, Harrison county, Texas, on December 30, 1849. The next year Rev. S. S. Morris, a local preacher in the Methodist church, moved his little family to Cass county and began the arduous task of conquering the forest and opening a farm in the wilderness of East Texas. This farm was eleven miles northwest of Linden, and is known as "The Trial Farm." Lon was the only one of five brothers to be born in a rented house.

The Morris family has been noted for thrift, but "Brother Lon," as he is familiarly known, has eclipsed them all in amassing wealth. This has been accomplished only through industry, economy, and self-denial on the part of both himself and his good wife. He is doubtless the most philanthropic wealthy man the state of Texas has produced. He makes his benefactions through the church, which is the

FIRST BALE BRINGS GROWER OVER \$240

The first bale of the 1924 cotton crop was brought to Crockett Monday afternoon by J. P. Brewton, who grew the cotton on his farm about two miles east from town. The bale was ginned Tuesday by W. V. Berry and weighed 501 pounds. It was classed as strict middling and was bought by Millar & Berry for thirty cents a pound, bringing Mr. Brewton \$150.30.

An additional premium was made up by local business men amounting to \$89.75. This gave the grower a total of \$240.05. The seed were not sold, but would have added considerably to the total amount received by Mr. Brewton had they been marketed.

greatest organization among men. He has been a local preacher for years and has given hundreds of thousands of dollars to the church. His greatest gift is to Lon Morris College which he has so recently endowed, beginning with a gift of \$100,000, which can never be used for any other purpose than endowment for a Methodist school.

When he was only twenty years old R. A. Morris entered business in Linden and made a success from the beginning. While they were both young Lon Morris and Sallie Lula Ellington were married. He thus married into one of the greatest families in early history. To his wife's wise counsel and unflinching energy and economy, Brother Lon attributes most of his success. This is why he always connects her name with his in the gifts he makes to the church. A nice building on the campus of Lon Morris College will bear her name and be an inspiration to the thousands of East Texas boys and girls who pass through this college.

SANITARIUM FOR CROCKETT ASSURED

Drs. W. W. Latham and C. W. Butler have purchased jointly the home of J. W. Hail in east Crockett. They desire to convert this beautiful building into a first class sanitarium.

Mr. Hail will release the property to the buyers about September 15. It will then be equipped for the care of patients in the most efficient way possible. The property is ideally located and adapted for the purpose of a sanitarium.

Dr. Latham will have charge of the sanitarium until Dr. Butler shall have completed his medical course at Nashville, Tennessee. Dr. Butler will then join him here. This new project will solve a problem which has long confronted the people of Crockett. Thoughtful citizens have for many years desired to see Crockett in possession of a good sanitarium and it is now assured that one is to be had.

Farm Labor Political Conference Called at Fort Worth.

Fort Worth, Texas, July 30, 1924.—A call meeting of the State Farm-Labor Political Conference will be held Monday, August 11, at 1502½ Main Street, Fort Worth, Texas.

This meeting is called for the purpose, for the state conference, to plan an aggressive campaign in behalf of the candidates that were endorsed at our last conference, March 3, whose names will appear on the ballot in the second primary; also a vote of this conference shall decide whether an indorsement will be made in the race for governor.

Buried Near Alto.

Mrs. Chester Houston died early Tuesday morning at the home of her father-in-law, Mr. A. Houston, in east Crockett. The remains were taken to Palestine cemetery, near Alto, for burial Wednesday. She was Miss Docia McBride of Alto before marriage, and had been married only a few months. She had been ill for about six weeks and died following a major operation. She leaves numerous sorrowing relatives to whom the Courier extends sympathy.

HURRICANE BRIDGE DRAWS ATTENTION

Great interest is being manifested in the road from Crockett to Waco which is now being travelled and made possible by the erection of the bridge across Trinity river at Hurricane Shoals. Officials of the Texas Power and Light Company, as well as tourists who have just come from Waco over this new route, report a saving of fifty miles to Crockett compared with the only other route—which runs through Palestine. They are enthusiastic over this new route, which is a better road than the old route and brings the city of Waco, the population center of Texas, fifty miles nearer Crockett and all points east of the Trinity river in central east Texas.

One route from Crockett to Waco is as follows, which is the route travelled by automobiles from Waco Sunday: Crockett to the bridge, then to Oakwood and on to Firfield, from where you travel a completed highway to Teague, Mexia, Coolidge and Waco. There are other routes from the bridge west.

Travel across the state seeks a saving of mileage and follows the course of least resistance, such as better roads and easy crossing of large and important streams. The Hurricane Shoals bridge, 14 miles west of Crockett, opens up a virgin territory across the river, and the travelers now following this new route will be followed by larger numbers until within a few months a steady stream of travel will be coming over this road and through Crockett to eastern points. Hurricane Shoals bridge opens up fine trade opportunities to Crockett, and the patronage of those living across the river should and will be solicited and cultivated by the business people of our city.

In a very short time the Hurricane Shoals route will be designated as a highway and a standard road constructed, opening up and developing the country through which it passes and resulting in immense benefit to Crockett as a central trading and stopping point.

The Hurricane Shoals bridge was a big undertaking and built by Crockett capital, and the stockholders are to be congratulated on the completion of this enterprise meaning so much for the development of this portion of the state.

The Y. W. A.

Met July 29 with Mrs. Garland Ellis as hostess, for regular missionary social meeting.

We were pleased to have as visitors Mrs. Lawrence and Mrs. Waller.

The meeting was called to order by the president, Mrs. H. A. LeMay, and a short business session was conducted. The personal service report was given. Then Mrs. W. R. Allee, missionary leader, began her program with scripture reading and chain-prayer. Africa being her subject, she held the audience spell-bound as she told in her interesting way about the superstitions and horrors of the every-day lives of the heathen people, which should cause us to realize more the need of foreign missionaries.

This being the Y. W. A.'s regular "Annual Dollar Social" or "Rhyme Day," as it could be

very easily called, as each member is required to answer in rhyme, as she is asked in rhyme, how she earned the dollar. Mrs. A. L. Barlow was toastmistress for the occasion. There was much merriment and applause as each handed in their dollar and said their rhyme.

Only those who were there and those who have attended our previous dollar socials know of the wonderful talents of the Y. W. A.'s. A contest then added much pleasure to the party.

Our hostess, ably assisted by Mesdames Waller and Arnold, served a sumptuous salad course, followed by delicious candies. After quite a social hour reluctant good-byes were said.

A Guest.

PROCEEDINGS OF COUNTY CONVENTION

The county democratic convention assembled in the court house at 2 p. m. Saturday, August 2, with twenty-one present. Judge A. A. Aldrich was elected permanent chairman and Earle P. Adams secretary.

Upon motion of W. G. Creath, it was unanimously resolved that the national democratic nominees for president and vice president be unqualifiedly endorsed; and, further, that the action of some so-called democrats, in assaulting the party from within its ranks, be censured in vigorous terms.

It was further moved and carried that the action of the Houston county democratic committee in canvassing the returns and declaring the results of the several contests for nomination to office, of the recent primary election, be in all things ratified and approved.

The following were named as delegates to the several conventions:

State Convention: Mrs. Jno. A. McConnell, A. A. Aldrich, F. H. Bayne, W. G. Creath, Mrs. W. G. Creath, Judge Leroy L. Moore, Dr. Sam Kennedy, D. A. Nunn, Earle P. Adams, C. L. Edmiston, J. C. Meriwether, E. W. Pierson, H. M. Barbee, Jake Sheridan, Mrs. W. C. Lipscomb, S. L. Murchison, Jno. F. Baker, Mrs. Jno. F. Baker, John LeGory.

Senatorial: Jake Leonard, L. P. Reid, Lyman Knox, W. E. Gainey, Geo. W. Crook, Mrs. Geo. W. Crook, Herman Rich, W. L. Driskill.

Congressional: Geo. E. Darsey Jr., G. M. Mahoney, J. W. Hail, Mrs. Isabella Hail, M. B. Creath, J. J. Taylor, Finis Green.

Judicial: W. H. Tomme, J. M. Creasy, Dr. T. M. Sherman, G. Q. King, J. C. Millar, Jas. S. Shivers, Tom Waller, Nat Patton, S. A. Denny, N. H. Phillips.

A. A. Aldrich,
Chairman.
Earle P. Adams,
Secretary.

Former Crockett Woman.

The remains of Mrs. Allie Cloud, who died in Houston Tuesday, were brought to Crockett Wednesday afternoon. Services were held at the graveside, in Glenwood cemetery, Rev. A. J. Davis conducting the services.

Mrs. Cloud was a very elderly lady, a noble Christian woman, and was loved by all who knew her. She leaves two sons, Willie and Clay Cloud of Kennard, and two sons-in-law, Ben Janes of Houston and Festus Mangum.

FARMERS HOLD SHORT COURSE

At the Boys and Girls Club Short Course held in Crockett, July 23rd and 24th, the ones to win free trips to the Farmers Short Course at A. & M. College, July 28th to Aug. 2nd, to represent Houston county in the various contests, were the following: Live stock and grain judging team, Glenn Durham of Ratcliff, Henry Lee Driskill of Latexo, Hurschel Kelley of Belott; the poultry judging team, Myrtle Rosmand of Weldon and Helen McVey of Weldon; Pearl Patton of Ratcliff represented the county in the second-year girls' clothing contest, and Jewel Griswald of Latexo represented the county in the first year girls' clothing contest; Mrs. W. H. Kelley in the kitchen improvement contest.

These contestants were taken to A. & M. College by County Agriculture Agent R. R. Morrison and Home Demonstration Agent Miss Gladys Mitchell in their automobiles, where they received the full benefits of the Farmers' Short Course and represented Houston county in the contests, which was by far the largest and most closely contested short course ever held at A. & M. College.

The splendid co-operation of the business men of Houston county with the county and home demonstration agents made it possible for these club boys and girls and this lady to receive the benefits of this week's instructions and the honor of representing Houston county in the contests at the Farmers' Short Course at A. & M. College.

The expenses of these club members while at A. & M. College were financed as follows:

Crockett business men paid four; Grapeland Commercial Club paid two; Ratcliff Booster Club paid one; Guaranty State Bank of Weldon paid one. The full appreciation of which was shown by the splendid work performed and the excellent behavior of these boys and girls while representing Houston county on this wonderful trip made possible by the liberal contributions of the above business men of the county.

Attended Short Course.

A number of Houston county farmers and their families were among the large number of people to attend the Farmers' Short Course last week at A. & M. College and receive the full benefit of the courses given in Poultry, livestock, swine, agronomy, horticulture, marketing, cotton classing and bookkeeping. Some of those who came to the short course and camped in the Oak Grove camp grounds at the college were W. O. Durham and family of Ratcliff; Jim Elliott and family, Farmer Shaw and family, Avery Johns and family, Mr. Calvert and family and Mr. Speer and family of Prairie Point.

Young Daughter Dies.

Nellie Inez Marsh, three-year-old daughter of Sam and Angie Marsh, died Tuesday, August 5. The remains were laid to rest Wednesday afternoon in the Shady Grove cemetery. The parents live about five miles south of town, and have the sympathy of the community in their loss.

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LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

Mrs. W. A. Collins and children returned Sunday to their home in Groveton.

Miss Leona Slade has returned from a visit to Mrs. Robert Cassell in Trinity.

Misses Marjorie and Sue Morrison are visiting in San Antonio and San Angelo.

Miss Mary Monk Aldrich is visiting in Henrietta, Fort Worth and Dallas.

Jewelry—the most appreciated of gifts—at the price you want to pay, at Bishop's.

Mrs. Alfred Rogers is at home from a visit to relatives and friends in Henderson.

Johnson Lundy Arledge, Joe Bennett and Albert K. Daniel are at Dallas this week.

Miss Esie Barron of Lovelady was the guest of Miss Lucia Painter this and last week.

Misses Estelle and Louise Aber of Jacksonville are guests of Misses Beulah and Dell Guinn.

Mrs. Lester Hart of Houston is visiting her sisters, Misses Minnie and Maydean Thompson.

Fruit jars, all sizes, at Jas. S. Shivers'.

Mrs. C. N. Houston is visiting in Caldwell.

Bishop's Bowel Remedy relieves all bowel troubles.

E. C. Arledge Jr. has returned from a visit to Georgetown.

Men's straw hats at half-price at West Main Dry Goods Co's.

Mrs. John L. Dean is visiting in Italy, Fort Worth and Longview.

Will McLean and family are at home from Austin and San Antonio.

Hon. J. E. Winfree of Houston was a recent visitor with friends in this city.

Mrs. J. B. Deal will begin her kindergarten the second Monday in September. Tuition, \$4.00 per month. Your patronage solicited.

You can get the Studebaker wagon in either oak or Bois D'Arc felloe at Jas. S. Shivers'.

Misses Myra McConnell and Esther Mae Ellis have returned from their recent visit at Madisonville.

Miss Sybil Towery is at home from Galveston for a few days' visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Towery.

Attention, Farmers.

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Strayed.

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Attention, Ginners.

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tf. Jas. S. Shivers.

Winona Wagons.

Moore & Shivers have just received a car of Winona wagons in narrow and wide tires, oak and Bois D'Arc rims. Also can supply you with thimbles and boxes for the Huntsville wagon.

Popular Excursion.

The I-G. N. Railroad Company is advertising a popular excursion rate to Galveston for Sunday. The rate is very low and is the first of its kind in six years, or since low rates were discontinued by the railroad administration in 1918.

Protracted Meeting.

Rev. S. F. Tenney is expecting to begin a protracted meeting next August 10, at 11 a. m., at Oakland Church. He is expecting Rev. W. A. Zeigle to preach. We hope to have a good attendance. Mr. Tenney is taking a vocation and will not preach in Crockett on second and third Sundays of August.

Young Wife Dies.

Mrs. R. W. Hazlett died Monday following an illness of about three weeks. The remains were interred in Hagen cemetery Tuesday afternoon. She is survived by her husband, who is a farmer living about six and a half miles southwest of Crockett. Mrs. Hazlett was a young woman about 18 years of age, and had been married only a short time.

Crockett Boy Marries.

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Frieze of New Braunfels have announced the marriage of their daughter, Mildred, to John Harold Langston, which happy event occurred on Tuesday, July 29, at the home of the bride in New Braunfels. Mr. and Mrs. Langston will be at home at 625 McCullough avenue, San Antonio. The bride is said to be one of New Braunfels' most attractive and popular daughters. The groom, who was reared in Crockett, is one of the state's prominent educators, having been connected with some of the leading military schools of this country. He and his bride have the best wishes and congratulations of numerous friends in Crockett and elsewhere.

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Five-pound package Calumet Baking Powder	\$1.00
Fourteen pounds Red Beans	\$1.00
Six bars Luna Soap	25c
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RESERVE BOARD REPORTS TRADE DROP FOR U. S.

Paints Rather Gloomy Picture of Business Conditions During June.

Washington, July 27.—The federal reserve board, in its summary of general business and financial conditions for June, made public today, again presents a gloomy picture of conditions. As was true in May, the reserve board says that production of basic commodities and factory employment showed further large declines during June. There was also a recession in trade during the month.

The summary discloses that both wholesale and retail trade decreased during the month and was in smaller volume than a

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year ago. It mentions, however, some bright spots in the wholesale business, but does not give hope for increased trade in any particular section or in any single commodity.

On the basis of the board's records, the production in basic industries, adjusted to allow for seasonal variations, declined about 9 per cent in June, which places it at a point 22 per cent below the level of the first two months of this year. The most marked curtailment of activity was shown in iron, steel and cotton manufacturing industries. The decreases were general, however, in most other industries.

The reduction in factory employment prevalent in April and May continued in June, when a further decrease of 3 per cent was noted in the metal, automobile, textile and leather industries. Some of the other industries showed large cuts in their working forces, but the most notable reduction was observed in the four lines mentioned.

The slackening in general business was reflected in railroad shipments, which in June were more than 15 per cent less than for the same month a year ago. The reduction in the railroad movements was noted in the smaller loadings of all classes of freight except grain and live stock, which continued to move in satisfactory quantities.

Relative to wholesale trade, which on the basis of the reserve board averages was 11 per cent smaller in June than in June a year ago, there was reported slightly increased sales of hardware, drugs, shoes and dry goods. Department and chain stores sales showed more than the usual seasonal decrease during June and were considerably smaller than a year ago. There was, however, less than the usual seasonal decline in mail order sales, which were almost on a parity with June of last year.

The summary indicates that the principal department stores of the country have further reduced their stocks of merchandise, but increased slightly their outstanding orders. Whether this means a renewal of general buying by the larger stores is not discussed by the board, but some treasury officials believe that the end of the year-long policy of operating on a hand-to-mouth basis of the purchase of stocks is in sight, with a consequent beneficial reaction upon manufacturing industries.

The easy money market that has prevailed for several months bids fair to continue and in this condition, some officials declare, lies hope for an early return to business activity that would spell increased production and increased employment of labor. The fact that all interests that may need money can now borrow at low rates is regarded by most treasury officials as being likely to produce a revival in business. None, however, will express an opinion as to how soon this revival may be expected.

Dead Right.

"Why do you turn out for every road hog that comes along?" she asked, rather crossly; "the right of way is yours."

"Surely," said her husband, "but my reason is suggested by an epitaph I saw the other day: 'Here lies the body of William Jay, who died maintaining his right of way: He was right, dead right, as he sped along, but he's just as dead as if he had been dead wrong.'"

Cancel the Order.

A retail dealer in leather goods, doing business in Baltimore, wrote to a firm in Southern Massachusetts ordering a carload of merchandise. The firm wired him:

"Cannot ship your order until last consignment is paid for."

"Unable to wait so long," telegraphed the merchant. "Cancel the order."

OGDEN REPRESENTS CITY IN NATIONAL RECREATION SURVEY

Committee Gathering Statistics From Parks of Larger Cities in U. S. A.

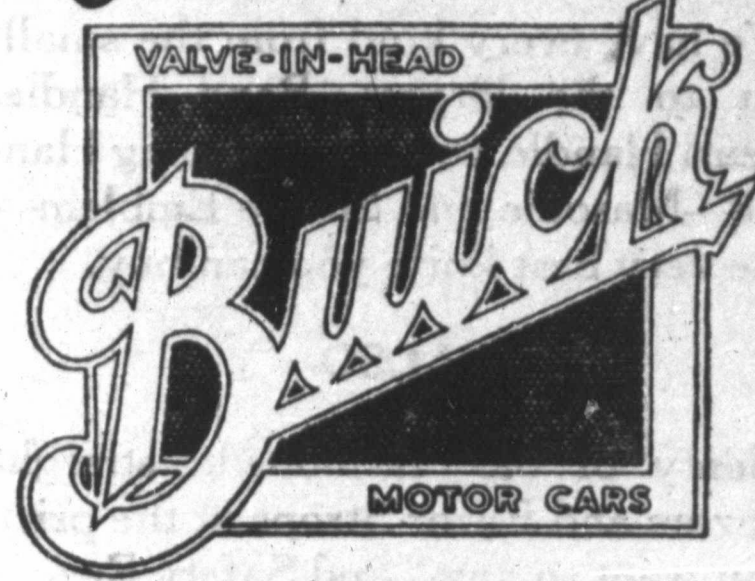
Statistics on attendance at Ogden Park for the week of July 7 to 11 are being gathered there by the Committee on National Recreation, to obtain an estimate of the number of patrons using those grounds for a stated time. Ogden Park will be representative of the Chicago Park system. No previous investigation of national character has been attempted by such an organization in the past. The committee is composed of representatives from large parks in all parts of the United States. The survey is to be made to learn how many people use the parks, what nationalities are represented by the patrons, their ages, the distances from which they come to the recreation centers, their preference in games, clubs and entertainments, and the time of day when they visit the parks.

Every person who is present during the week at Ogden Park, either as a participant in a park activity or as a spectator, will be taken at the wading and swimming pools, playgrounds, row boat and yacht ponds, gymnasium, horse shoe and tennis courts, sand pits, track, and baseball diamonds. An estimate will also be made of those attending the games in the club rooms, organized classes, infant welfare station, park clubs, independent club sessions, special programs, regular assemblies, picnics, or similar events.

Surveys of this type are being conducted by the committee in a dozen large cities in the same manner. Park Director Daniel Russell, formerly of Crockett, Texas, expressed himself as pleased that Ogden Park should be chosen as representative of work done in Chicago.

Persons who have been attending any of the regular park events recently are urged by him to sign attendance blanks at his office in Ogden Park before 10 o'clock Friday evening, July 11. Purpose of the national survey is to obtain material on the uses

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and activities of the different large park centers in the United States to be used for reference when future park recreation programs are to be initiated, in other parts of the country. The local survey is in charge of Mr. Russell, assisted by workers

from the University of Chicago, the Institute for Juvenile Research, and local workers.—Chicago Economist.

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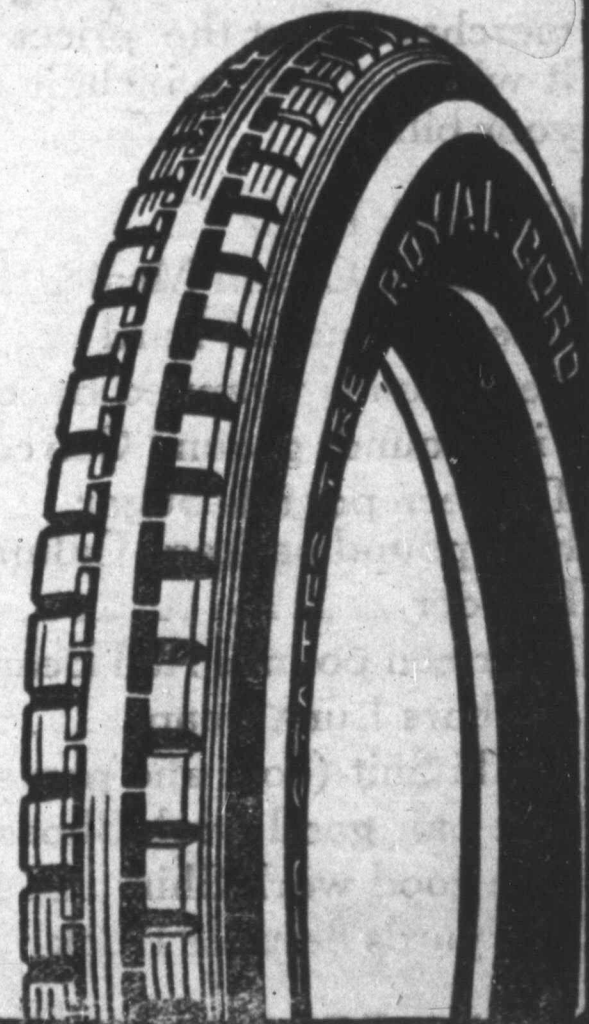
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Houston County Primary Election Returns

(OFFICIAL)

	Augusta	Antioch	Ash	Arbor	Belott	Crockett No. 1	Crockett No. 2	Crockett No. 3	Crockett No. 4	Creek	Dodson	Daily	Daniel	Freeman	Grapeland No. 1	Grapeland No. 2	Holly	Kennard	Lovelady	Perilla	Porter Springs	Ratcliff	Shiloh	Tadmor	Tyer's Store	Volga	Weches	Weldon	Creath	Latexo	Total	
U. S. Senator—																																
Jno. F. Maddox	3	10	9	12	5	27	25	15	14	8	2	0	2	1	23	27	5	11	70	4	11	33	10	2	3	9	8	21	1	6	377	
Morris Sheppard	93	11	27	18	42	259	126	178	114	10	14	18	33	10	214	239	24	153	195	36	27	140	26	7	35	20	18	82	21	47	2337	
Fred C. Davis	53	58	12	28	32	97	33	62	62	17	26	2	4	2	100	38	4	68	70	16	16	55	61	18	23	45	81	37	5	16	1141	
Governor—																																
W. E. Pope	4	1	1	0	2	18	17	10	21	2	1	0	10	0	2	7	0	4	2	0	1	3	1	0	1	1	0	6	3	1	123	
Felix Robertson	30	2	7	18	12	104	29	46	55	2	2	11	11	7	75	62	0	16	49	14	11	87	1	0	21	0	2	19	1	3	697	
Lynch Davidson	21	10	9	3	9	97	41	71	89	2	0	5	7	2	28	89	0	52	52	5	5	13	6	1	8	1	3	37	6	0	673	
Joe Burkett	2	0	0	2	0	2	0	2	1	5	0	0	0	0	2	7	0	9	2	0	0	2	2	0	0	0	1	2	0	0	44	
Geo. W. Dixon	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	11	
V. A. Collins	6	0	1	2	8	27	18	16	20	2	0	1	0	0	5	14	0	16	18	0	2	5	0	1	1	0	0	5	9	0	177	
T. W. Davidson	36	11	2	15	9	24	25	26	22	3	19	0	4	1	48	32	3	53	38	8	2	31	27	18	1	15	44	16	2	11	546	
Miriam A. Ferguson	45	66	27	13	43	72	41	75	63	26	26	2	13	4	164	57	31	74	169	25	33	91	62	5	24	59	66	71	7	55	1499	
Thos. D. Barton	6	3	0	3	4	34	10	25	28	0	0	1	2	2	17	33	1	7	23	0	0	4	2	0	6	7	0	2	0	4	224	
Lieut. Governor—																																
Jno. D. McCall	23	10	13	11	9	93	40	50	79	13	8	1	21	8	136	60	10	57	92	8	28	123	25	7	14	17	19	37	12	25	1050	
Wallace Malone	8	1	3	5	13	11	21	9	8	2	2	0	5	0	10	7	6	12	24	2	3	11	2	1	3	6	6	7	0	6	194	
Barry Miller	40	44	13	19	17	68	41	68	52	10	23	3	3	0	57	34	10	79	105	22	11	53	42	17	18	40	63	63	3	21	1029	
Will C. Edwards	68	20	15	21	33	197	83	139	152	12	6	17	12	2	133	203	8	82	98	24	11	46	23	1	25	13	20	26	14	14	1518	
Congress—																																
Clay Stone Briggs	119	67	40	34	76	307	160	216	242	31	39	14	43	7	255	269	31	202	250	39	35	128	75	13	45	50	103	106	27	63	3091	
H. L. Nelson	37	14	11	19	13	82	28	53	57	8	4	7	4	10	83	37	3	31	79	18	23	106	21	14	17	27	9	40	2	11	868	
District Judge—																																
B. F. Dent	155	89	55	57	88	392	201	280	310	40	50	21	51	18	358	308	34	235	333	58	61	235	107	27	67	84	115	165	30	75	4099	
District Attorney—																																
W. D. Justice	64	72	27	45	74	171	100	98	114	31	29	9	15	10	174	119	29	122	151	27	28	139	54	24	41	49	69	77	21	56	2030	
Ned B. Morris Jr.	89	24	24	10	13	219	86	174	187	10	15	12	32	3	173	186	4	112	177	31	31	91	47	3	21	30	45	66	9	20	1944	
Representative—																																
Chas. C. Rice	154	94	50	58	84	392	198	272	307	41	50	22	50	18	360	315	33	230	334	58	63	226	107	27	67	84	114	165	29	75	4077	
County Chairman—																																
A. A. Aldrich	154	94	52	56	87	393	200	272	310	39	50	22	52	19	361	314	34	238	338	58	64	236	104	27	67	83	117	163	30	74	4108	
County Judge—																																
Nat Patton	43	90	27	12	49	166	92	93	111	21	14	6	25	2	154	172	29	115	177	14	28	156	64	25	28	61	51	83	19	46	1973	
Leroy Moore	113	10	29	48	44	224	95	187	197	26	29	16	26	19	209	147	6	121	166	45	34	81	42	2	39	21	70	82	12	30	2170	
County Attorney—																																
Earle P. Adams	158	100	50	58	95	391	197	278	307	43	50	22	51	20	361	316	33	221	350	60	65	239	107	27	67	85	118	164	27	74	4134	
County Superintendent—																																
Mrs. Gertie Sallas	157	100	56	60	85	392	197	273	310	43	50	22	51	20	358	317	32	225	350	60	65	235	106	27	67	78	117	164	31	76	4124	
Tax Collector—																																
Jno. L. Dean	158	99	56	59	93	392	199	276	310	46	45	22	50	19	360	315	31	226	349	60	65	236	107	27	67	86	117	164	31	75	4141	
Tax Assessor—																																
Ben Brimberry	57	69	23	27	18	67	47	40	35	15	39	1	8	3	260	117	23	107	133	40	16	80	46	18	44	48	31	50	10	25	1497	
Will McLean	99	26	32	33	77	320	145	236	272	32	9	19	44	18	100	200	12	128	218	19	49	157	57	9	24	33	92	107	21	51	2639	
District Clerk—																																
Albert Smith	145	97	50	58	82	373	194	268	306	45	49	21	52	19	364	313	31	226	348	57	64	240	106	27	67	86	90	167	31	76	4053	
County Clerk—																																
W. D. Collins	158	97	55	60	92	392	199	272	310	44	50	22	51	20	359	320	34	238	350	60	65	238	106	27	67	86	123	167	31	76	4169	
County Treasurer—																																
Willie Robison	60	29	19	30	58	215	49	109	180	12	2	19	21	13	107	156	10	49	141	13	25	84	23	2	45	19	49	49	14	18	1620	
Frank Butler	98	67	37	30	38	176	150	171	128	36	46	3	30	7	254	161	25	188	217	48	39	155	84	25	22	65	73	112	14	58	2557	
County Surveyor—																																
Jno. H. Ellis	154	97	51	56	93	388	198	266	310	44	50	22	50	20	360	316	33	229	350	61	62	236	107	27	67	85	121	163	30	75	4120	
Sheriff—																																
O. B. Hale	52	18	36	29	58	296	134	192	238	41	8	17	43	16	81	128	5	137	187	11	38	102	28	7	23	19	78	76	22	45	2165	
J. L. Hazlett	34	55	16	25	23	85	58	77	63	6	36	1	4	2	152	58	26	82	110	29	21	91	65	16	39	55	25	67	3	22	1348	
R. R. Scarborough	71	19	2	3	10	13	4	6	7	0	1	4	5	2	121	130	2	12	49	22	6	39	10	4	5	12	18	10	4	7	598	
Commissioner No. 1—																																
W. H. Holcomb Jr.	86				3	114									63					7						5		2		2	282	
Jack Manning	3				0	85									33					0						38		1		16	176	
S. W. Duitch	14				1	22									162					10						13		0		27	249	
C. W. Jones	1				0	147									20					1						2		0		13	184	
C. B. Lively	52				1	19									77					41						9		2		2	208	
Commissioner No. 2—																																
C. A. Story			55				200					20				318					57										650	
Commissioner No. 3—																																
Mode Barbee		27						136		10					0		12		198				18				10		87		498	
Ed C. Thompson		65						129		38					7		22		157				87				74		75		654	
Commissioner No. 4—																																
H. W. McKelvey				23	4			114		5		10	2				30				189		8				3		9		397	
J. A. Beathard				14	71			93		1		27	10				47				17		2				10		8		300	
Jno. W. Shaw				15	5			60		34		6	1				67				32		16				103		7		346	
T. S. Tunstall				5	6			40		9		9	0				93				2		1				0		7		172	

MISSING DEPUTY DECLARED SLAIN

PRISONER SAID TO BE IN MEXICO; PARTNER IS ON WAY TO HOUSTON.

San Antonio, Texas, July 25.—Deputy Sheriff John T. Holloway, of San Antonio, was struck with a hammer and then shot twice through the head with his own gun, by his prisoner, Eugenio Bianquini, detectives here were informed Friday morning. Jesus Samudio, Eugenio's partner, escaped Monday when the pair were first arrested in Eagle Pass, according to the information received, arrived here late Thursday night in a stolen car and after a few hurried words with Bianquini's friends continued toward Houston. He had seen Bianquini along the lonely road after the murder had been committed, he said, and had his word that, with the aid

of friends along his route of escape, he would shortly be safe across the border. Bianquini has apparently made good his promise. He is said to have crossed the border at 9 o'clock this morning. In the meantime officers of two nations joined in the hunt for the fugitive. A hundred men combed the

OUR PEOPLE PLAY IMPORTANT PART IN COLLEGE LIFE

There are approximately 120 young Houston county people enrolled in the summer session of the Sam Houston State Teachers College at Huntsville this summer. Excluding Walker county itself, this is the largest county representation in the college. Houston county people have always played an important part in the scholastic and social activities of the college, and this summer is no exception. They are to be found in every important organization on the campus and are identified with every forward movement. The Houston County Unit, an organization of Houston county students, is planning for a big get-together picnic on the evening of August 11th. Mrs. Gertie Sallas, county superintendent of Houston county, will be in Huntsville for the occasion and former Superintendent J. H. Rosser is expected to attend.

Mr. A. S. Moore of Crockett, who will head the Grapeland schools next year, graduates with the summer class, receiving the Bachelor of Science degree.

These young people will be leaving Huntsville on August 23rd for a brief vacation. Those who do not teach will return for the fall term, September 23rd.

Those enrolled are:

Crockett—Mary M. Aldrich, Maggie Allbright, Mary P. Arnold, Clifton Beathard, Vander Beathard, Almon Blue, Addie M. Bumgarner, Mrs. Eva Bynum, J. A. Bynum, Mrs. Gussie Easter-

ly, Ruth Easterly, Otilie Fritze, Mittie Byrd Glenn, Selma Griffin, S. E. Hager, Rena Hallmark, Katherine Hill, Mae Kelley, Addie L. Lansford, Nelson Long, W. G. Luce, Mrs. A. J. McLe-more, Iris Maples, Laura E. Marsh, Ima Mills, Beatrice Montgomery, A. S. Moore, Eola Oliver, Aylene Powell, Iteele Powell, Elma Sanders, Bessie Satterwhite, Irene Satterwhite, Ola Satterwhite, Bessie Smith, Euclid Smith, Ferd Smith, Ollie Mae Smith, Mrs. Willie Smith, Edna Thomas, Pearl Vickers, S. P. Wilcox.

Ratcliff—Mrs. Alma Daniel, J. B. Daniel, Mildred G. Green, G. S. Hart, Edice Miller, Major Musgrove, Bettie Parish, Birdie Lee Payne, Josephine Prentice, Effie Brewer, Mrs. Aline Burson, Carrie Conner.

Percilla—E. W. Butler, Fannie Jones.

Grapeland—Thelma Anderson, Lileene Brown, Velma Chandler, Mrs. Cora Chapman, Nola Coleman, Jessie Gentry, Lura Gray, Lonnie Mae Guice, Ben L. Keene, Mrs. Pearl H. Keene, Orene Kolb, Gail Luce, Carnie Murchison, Raymond Scarborough, E. B. Shaver, Eula M. Shaver, Gertie M. Shaw, Mrs. Lila Tyer, B. C. Watts, Gertie M. Shaw, Mrs. Lila Tyer, B. C. Watts, Berdie Wiesinger.

Lovelady—Edna Barron, Mrs. Ola R. Beeson, L. H. Bond, Minnie Dauphin, Mary B. Davis, Raymond Davis, J. C. Holliday, Berta Holliday, Callie Read, J. C. Scarborough, Julia Slanina, Jessye Frances Sowers, Sybil Speer, Ossed Speer, Mrs. Willie M. Sullivan, Hazel Wells, Thelma Wills, Blue Belle Wills, Gertrude Young.

Augusta—Wade H. Bolton, Cordelia Holcomb, Tommie Holcomb, C. E. Lucas, Marshall Moore, Rayford Moore, Tom Moore, Chas. M. Roberson, A. M. Scarborough, Stella Sloan.

Kennard—Claudia Baker, Lona Baker, Sam Barclay, Watt Barclay, Alice D. Curry, Emma Matchett, Cora Morgan, Adell Steed.

Weches—Pearl Bobbitt.

Weldon—Mrs. Selina Jackson, Lillie B. McPhail, F. H. McPhail, Mrs. Carnie L. Turney.

Mrs. Halsey 1st New Mex. Woman Sentenced to Hang.

The reports that Alice Katonka, now called Alice Smith, was the first woman in the New Mexico penitentiary under death sentence, were denied today by officials in touch with these cases. Mrs. Katherine Halsey, who arrived in Santa Fe, from Roswell the afternoon of July 4th, is the first woman sentenced to be hanged in New Mexico, as far as can be ascertained from the prison records. At least she is the first woman to arrive at the pen here.

Mrs. Halsey was condemned to die following a trial in Roswell on the charge of killing her husband, Fred Halsey, near Hope, New Mexico on March 30, this year. Two men were also sentenced with her for the crime.

Mrs. Halsey has been sentenced to hang in Roswell on August 1, but she has appealed to the state supreme court, which acts as a stay of execution. The two men are associated with her in the appeal. The defendants have 80 days in which to perfect the appeal, but if they are unable to do it in that time, they may get one or more extensions—Carlsbad Current.

The sheriff of Dallas has declared war on indecent dancing, bootlegging and roadside parties. The sheriff can't stop any of these evils. There is only one power on earth that can stop them. That power is parental control. When Pa and Ma take sufficient interest in their children to find out where, how and why they spend their evenings, the evils inveighed against by the Dallas sheriff will be stopped. But the well-meaning sheriff will have to get after Pa and Ma first.—Abilene Reporter.

SHOCKING CRIME PERPETRATED AT APPLE SPRINGS

ALBERT VEDO, AGED MAN IS KILLED IN MOST BRUTAL MANNER.

A most shocking tragedy occurred Tuesday morning when Alvin Tullos killed Albert Vedo on Honey Gibson's place two and one half miles north of Apple Springs. Tullos is a young man, only 22 years old, and his victim an old man, tottering with age. Little of the details could be learned, as Tullos stubbornly refused to make any statement to the authorities. If he is sane, the crime was most brutal. The old man was shot twice, and then beaten over the head, to a pulp, with a gun stock. Tullos then dragged the body several hundred feet by hand, and finally tied it to a wagon and dragged it 600 feet and threw it over a bluff. The two were employed on the Gibson place, and were loading wood at the time. It is reported that the evening before they had engaged in some mild altercation, but no one thought it at all serious. What the motive was is not known.

After disposing of the body Tullos hid in a cane patch adjacent. Sheriff Davis was called and asked to bring dogs, but Tullos was captured before his arrival. He was brought to Groveton and lodged in jail without bail. Date for his examining trial has not been set.

Mr. Vedo was a Frenchman, and over 80 years old. He had been working on the Gibson place the past year. Nothing is known of his family. Tullos was born and raised in Trinity coun-

ty, and while he has been involved in some troubles, none were serious.—Groveton News.

The Evidence.

The beautiful, dark haired girl's sweet smiles changed to angry frowns.

"You deceiver," she cried, "I hate you."

"Hate me?" he gasped. "Why it was only yesterday that you told me that you loved every hair on my head."

"Yes, but not every hair on your shoulder," she retorted, as she held aloft a golden piece of evidence.

To the Voters of Commissioners' Precinct No. 1.

With a heart of gratitude, I thank my friends for their support in the July primary. I solicit your help again in the August primary. I desire and solicit, also, the help of the friends of those candidates who have dropped out.

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ANNOUNCEMENTS.

- Election August 23.
- For Governor
FELIX ROBERTSON
MRS. FERGUSON
- For Lieutenant Governor
WILL C. EDWARDS
BARRY MILLER
- For Congress
CLAY STONE BRIGGS
of Galveston County
- For District Attorney
W. D. JUSTICE
of Henderson County
- For County Judge
LEROY L. MOORE
- For County Attorney
EARLE P. ADAMS
- For Tax Assessor
WILL McLEAN
- For Tax Collector
JOHN L. DEAN
- For County Treasurer
FRANK H. BUTLER
- For Sheriff
O. B. (DEB) HALE
- For County Clerk
W. D. COLLINS
- For Supt. of Instruction
MRS. GERTIE SALLAS
- For Commissioner, Prec. No. 1
S. W. DUTCH
W. H. HOLCOMB JR.
- For Commissioner, Prec. No. 3
ED C. THOMPSON
- For Commissioner, Prec. No. 4
H. W. McCELVEY
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- For Justice Peace, Prec. No. 1
E. M. CALLIER
- For Public Weigher, Prec. No. 4
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POTATO MACHINERY.

A fellow dropped into town recently and sold seventy-two potato slicers for \$1 each. The same slicer was on sale at local stores for 35c. Smooth salesmen always reap the long green when people are inclined to be generous.—Grapeland Messenger.

Yes, but how did the housewives who bought the \$1 potato slicer know their own home merchants had 35c potato slicers of identical pattern? You know the answer. It was because the home-town potato slicer hadn't been advertised. When the potato-slicer agent came to the housewife's door and exhibited the potato slicer he was attorney for, the housewife knew she needed it. The sight of the implement reminded her of her need. She hadn't previously been invited to buy a potato slicer and hadn't bought one. The position of the home merchants was to the effect that everybody knew they had potato slicers for sale and the people would come and buy them when potato slicers were needed. But not so. Advertising not only directs consumers to where they may be supplied, but it simultaneously stimulates the wish for things previously done without. The agent at the door advertises by showing the article he sells. It is a costly way, as proved by the sixty-five cents he added to the price. But when those who keep pota-

to slicers for sale in stores fail or refuse to let the people know where and at what price potato slicers may be had, the potential consumer continues to be in need of a potato slicer. All of this means that unless potato slicers are advertised many housewives will continue to slice potatoes with kitchen knives, and many others will buy slicers from the agent at the door. Without advertising business languishes. Unless the people are reminded of their needs they will come to believe they don't need much. That road runs back to the hut in the forest and the frying pan and coffee pot. Unless products are bought and used producers must go out of business, and when producers go out of business labor receives no wages and merchants get no trade. Advertise, Stimulate. Produce. Prosper.—Dallas News.

MONEY TO LOAN.

Money can be borrowed at 5 per cent in Texas. Banks are advertising for the chance to lend it at that rate for as long a period of time as six months. That means but one thing—that money is going out in search of borrowers in Texas. Elsewhere in the country that is no new thing. But it is new in Texas. Salesmanship in the banking business in Texas has had but a small role heretofore. But it is likely to play a bigger part from this time on.

The time has been, and still is to some extent, when lending money to the farmer directly or indirectly was the livelihood of pretty nearly all banks in Texas. The banks did well, but the farmer didn't fare so well. Today the farmers are beginning to divide themselves into two general classes. One of these classes has borrowed up to the limit of available collateral and the other has cash in the bank to meet its needs. Neither class is as good a borrowing customer for the bank as was formerly the case. The fact that industry elsewhere in the country has slowed up makes it not so easy to ship deposits East for a fat interest return there. The Federal Reserve bank finds little demand for its currency from borrowers. The money that is in the country today represents savings and idle surplus. The fact that Texas enterprise is as yet but slightly industrial as against the mercantile and agricultural activities makes the general industrial depression less onerous here than it might otherwise be. Our industries are in good part depend-

ent upon local demand, and that demand is better fortified with cash in the bank than has been the case in some time. To that extent they are in better state, with two or three exceptions, than if they were dependent upon foreign or Nationwide demand.

The money piling up in Texas banks is representative of the non-investment type such as the small merchant, professional man, farmer and the like. The money that is worrying Eastern bankers is investment capital crowded out of a chance to work by the hesitant mood of production and business. In the main cotton and boll weevil luck explains the advantage of Texas. But the surplus of loanable money must find a place to earn something. On the face of things it offers Texas the chance to become an investing State as well as a producing State. The growth of building and loan companies has responded to the situation. Other investment enterprises are beginning to appear as bidders for Texas money. Any large and continued advancement in factory building and industrial expansion at this time is dependent upon the opening up of a demand abroad such as will set the wheels of production going all over the country. But short of that there is good opportunity for the plants which supply our Texas needs.—Dallas News.

Meeting of Trustees' Association.

Crockett Courier:
Houston County Trustees' Association met August 2 (Saturday) at the court house in Crockett. Officers for the coming year were elected: W. H. Satterwhite, president; Hugh Speer, vice president; C. H. Chandler, secretary. A purchasing committee will buy supplies for the whole county. An amendment to the constitution was adopted. Mr. Wm. Eilers, from the state department of education, made a splendid talk on education, pointing out our responsibilities as trustees and the need of better schools with better teachers for the rural districts. Judge Moore made a short talk, also. We had a splendid meeting, which all enjoyed. Light refreshments were furnished by Mrs. Sallas. A Member.

Mr. R. A. High Dead.

Mr. R. A. High died Saturday morning at his home following a brief illness. Funeral services were held Sunday morning at the High residence, Rev. A. J. Davis conducting the services. Interment followed in Glenwood cemetery.

Mr. High was born in Jasper county, Georgia, 74 years ago and came to Houston county when a young man. He had been a member of the Methodist church for many years. A man of sterling qualities, he was held in high esteem by all who knew him.

Besides his wife, Mr. High is survived by a brother, Charles High of Cisco, three sons, Earl, Erwin and Claude, and two daughters, Mary Lee High of Crockett and Mrs. A. W. Trotter of El Paso.

Five Present-Day Controversies.

Editor Courier:
Lately I published in your paper some extracts from a New York book about the Ku Klux Klan. Then I did not have time to read the whole book. Since I picked it up and looked through it, I find the writer is a modernist or rationalist and his book is full of unsound teaching on the inspiration of the scriptures, on Bible miracles, evolution and the virgin birth of Christ. I do not know what denomination the writer is of, though he seems to be a prominent preacher. I am disappointed in the book. I had supposed it had some good arguments against error. Instead in a very plausible way it advocates the explaining away of our

Bible that has been taught us from our childhood, and the Bible that God has honored and blessed to the good of the human race. I am glad that I did not recommend the book, while I did answer a request in stating the title of the book. This shows that error is being sown broadcast in books, magazines and papers. Some books have been published for children about Bible stories and their advertisement would indicate that they are good for children, while they insidiously teach the young mind deadly moral poison.

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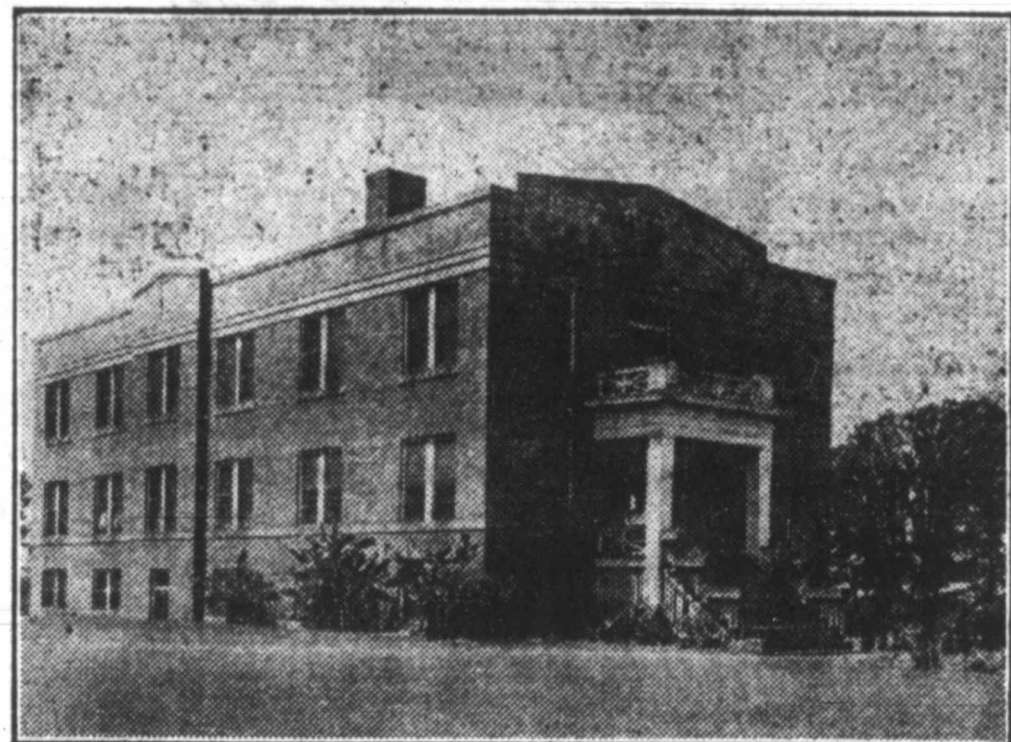
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"I have been taking Cardui," says Mrs. Lillie Bolton of Lake Providence, La. "I got down in bad health and lost in weight until I only weighed 120 pounds. I had bad pains in my sides and back and my legs hurt me until I couldn't walk. I stayed in bed half the time. I tried all kinds of medicine, but it did me no good. Finally I tried

CARDUI

The Woman's Tonic

"It seems like it did me good from the very first. After I had taken half a bottle I noticed an improvement. I continued its use and I got better and better. The pains in my legs and sides disappeared and I began to gain in weight until now I weigh 155 pounds and feel better than I ever did in my life. I am perfectly well and strong. I have given it to my girls, too."

Cardui has relieved many kinds of pains and distressing symptoms caused by female trouble. It should help you, too, in the same way. Why not give it a fair trial?

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

Fruit jars, all sizes, at Jas. S. Shivers'. tf

Bishop sells that good paint at only \$2.55 per gallon. It.

Ray Turner of Houston was a Crockett visitor last week.

Miss Ione Renfro of Oklahoma City is visiting Miss Ollie Parker.

All straw hats going at half-price at West Main Dry Goods Co's. It.

Mrs. John Simmons of Monroe, La., is visiting relatives near Crockett.

Miss C. C. Stokes is rapidly recovering from an appendicitis operation.

Any straw hat in the house at half-price at West Main Dry Goods Co's. It.

Miss Leona Thomas is at home from a visit to friends in southwest Texas.

Mrs. A. V. Davis of Corsicana is visiting her mother, Mrs. J. B. Clements.

Mrs. J. W. Richardson has returned from visiting in Houston and Somerville.

Miss Katherine Spence is visiting her sister, Mrs. W. A. Collins, in Groveton.

Miss Evelyn Moore of Dallas is the guest of relatives and friends in this city.

Creosene relieves spongy and bleeding gums—money back if it don't—at Bishop's. It.

Mrs. J. H. Smith and daughter, Alice, returned Tuesday from Houston and Galveston.

Captain Kidd and J. F. Henley made a business trip to Dallas and Fort Worth Tuesday.

Misses Beulah and Dell Guinn returned last week from a visit to relatives in Jacksonville.

Misses Bess and Lucille Jordan returned Sunday from visiting in Center and Logansport, La.

For Pyorrhoea, soft, bleeding, receding gums, use Creosene. Bishop guarantees it. It.

You can get the Studebaker wagon in either oak or Bois D'Arc fellowe at Jas. S. Shivers'. tf.

Harry Painter Jr., who has been living in Houston, has returned to Crockett for a brief stay. *

Miss Erin Tunstall of Houston is spending a brief vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. V. B. Tunstall.

Mrs. John H. Wootters of Houston, formerly Miss Mary Spence, is the guest of relatives and friends in this city.

Lyman Knox and Albert Daniel have returned from an automobile trip to Austin, San Antonio and Corpus Christi.

Attention, Farmers. Have your cotton wrapped in three-pound bagging this year. For sale by Jas. S. Shivers. tf.

Get your winter supply of wood now and save money. We can supply you in any quantity. tf. Manning Bros.

Mr. and Mrs. B. O. Hollingsworth and Miss Rickey of Somerville are guests of Mrs. J. W. Richardson and Mrs. T. B. Tunstall.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Brinkman have arrived by automobile from Glendale, Calif., and will spend some time with relatives and friends here.

Ben Janes of Houston was here Wednesday to attend the funeral of his mother-in-law, Mrs. Cloud, who died at his home in Houston.

Let us show you the Studebaker wagon with Bois D'Arc fellowe before you buy. No better wagon made. tf. Jas. S. Shivers.

Mayor and Mrs. C. L. Edmiston and Messrs. Lanier and Shelor Edmiston left Wednesday morning by automobile for Houston, Beaumont and Galveston and will be away several days.

The Studebaker wagon has stood the test for nearly half a century, and is a better wagon now than ever before. Sold in Crockett by Jas. S. Shivers. tf.

I am having inquiries for small, improved farms from 50 to 100 acres, near good schools. If you have one for sale, see me and I will find you a buyer. It. Jno. H. Ellis.

Attention, Ginners. We have on hand now and will have all this season, HERCULES three-pound bagging. Let us supply your wants in this line. tf. Jas. S. Shivers.

Winona Wagons. Moore & Shivers have just received a car of Winona wagons in narrow and wide tires, oak and Bois D'Arc rims. Also can supply you with thimbles and boxes for the Huntsville wagon. tf.

C. N. Houston, watchmaker, jeweler and engraver. All kinds of American and Swiss watch repairing, such as wrist watches, stop watches, chronometers. Stone setting, such as air line, Tiffany and beading and mill graining work. Every job goes out finished in good shape. Next to Green Parrot Tea Room. tf.

Strayed or Stolen. From my farm eight miles on Huntsville road last spring, three young cows, all branded half-circle one, one white face showing Hereford, one roan or speckled and one red. Show good breeding. All should have young calves. Will pay liberal reward for recovery. 2t. W. E. Hail.

Notice—Lost Note. I have lost, mislaid, or some one has stolen from me, one certain vendor's lien promissory note for the sum of \$2500.00, of date March 4th, 1924, and due March 4th, 1926, bearing interest at 8 per cent from date, payable to my order, and executed in my favor by W. W. Latham. Said note was given for part of the purchase money of my home place in Depot Addition to the town of Crockett. Said note is my property, and I hereby warn any and all persons not to purchase said note, or negotiate for the purchase of same or any interest therein. It. Mrs. Flora Patton.

Appreciation and Gratitude. Crockett, Texas. August 4, 1924.

To the Citizenship of Houston County: My wife and children join me in expressions of appreciation and gratitude for the splendid endorsement we received at the polls on the 26th of July. We consider this the greatest victory of our lives. We would like to do something for somebody gladly; It will sweeten our every care In sharing the sorrows of others, Our own are less hard to bear. It. Gratefully yours, Nat Patton, Wife and Children.

Gasoline That Makes Good

The gasoline that makes good the claims of its makers is

THAT GOOD GULF GASOLINE

It is sure-fire and full of pep. With that Good Gulf you can increase your mileage and be free of motor troubles, for it is absolutely pure. Drive around and fill 'er up.

Firestone Tires and Tubes

Crockett Filling Station
"Service With a Smile."

Grateful for Favors.

Although I was defeated by quite a large majority in the recent primary, I hold no malice toward any one, and am indeed grateful for all past favors. Sincerely, Willie Robison. It.

Sealed Bids

Will be received by the commissioners' court on August 11 at 10 o'clock a. m. on furnishing county 30 cords of 18-inch heater wood and 20 cords of 2-foot wood, oak wood desired. It. Leroy L. Moore, County Judge.

Getting by Giving

It is one of the certain facts of today—to make a business grow larger, make it give most.

It is a rule of life, the man who gives most gets most. We apply this rule to our business right here every day and give you the most.

BROOMS

Four string, wire run down neck, all good grade straw brooms, well worth 70c, sale price ----- 50c

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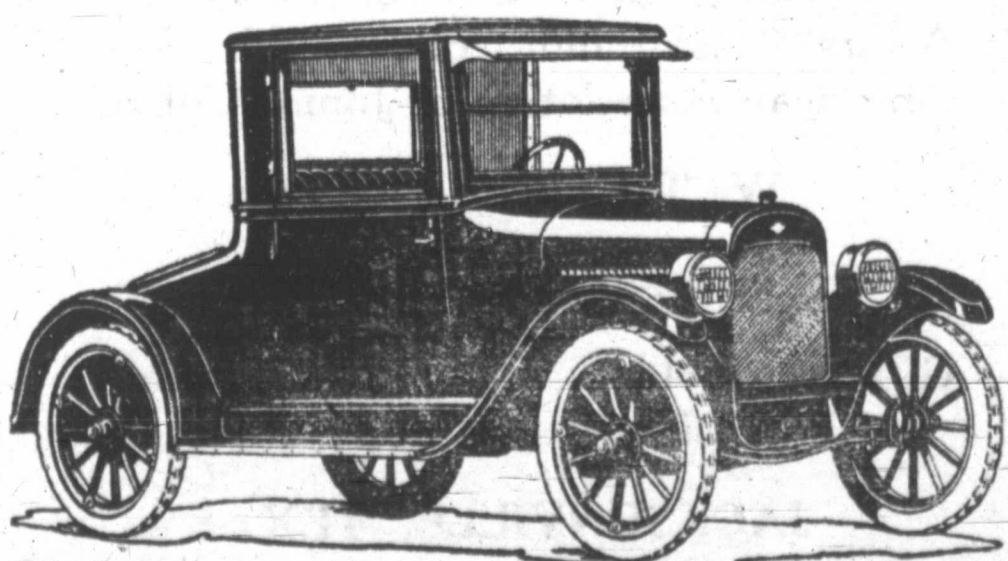
The quick success of the Chevrolet Utility Coupe has proved how accurately its designers gauged the transportation requirements of the average busy man or woman. This fully equipped, modern car combines day-by-day reliability, remarkably low operating costs and the lowest price asked for a high-grade closed car.

The mammoth rear compartment is especially attractive to the man who is always moving tools, luggage, farm supplies, etc.

We will gladly show you its exceptional engineering features.

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Authorized Sales and Service.



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AUGUST 10TH

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AS IN THE "OLD DAYS"

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LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

Expression of Gratitude.

We wish to express our gratitude to our many friends for the beautiful flowers and many other acts of thoughtfulness expressed during the recent illness and death of our darling son, Billy. Even in our sorrow we were able to find comfort from the loving sympathy of our friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Self,
Ben Self, Jr. It.

Four-Course Bridge Luncheon.

A beautiful four-course bridge luncheon, carrying out a color scheme of pink and white, was the charming compliment of Miss Wilma Shivers Thursday, August the seventh.

Place cards in cupids and wedding-bell design marked the place of each fortunate guest. Canning vanity mint bags held confectioneries of white and pink. Each table was beautiful with center decoration of crystal baskets holding pink crepe myrtle. Kewpie and attendants were lovely favors, enhancing the last course, bridal slippers of pink ice cream and cake, thus making known the engagement

At Home or On Vacation

You can enjoy the scores of helpful and useful articles to be found here. If you are going on a vacation, stock up before leaving where you can get quality in everything you buy.

- THERMOS BOTTLES
- SUNBURN LOTION
- PIPES—TOBACCOS
- FLASHLIGHTS
- KODAKS—FILMS
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Drugs and Jewelry

The Road to Health

LEADS TO THE PRESCRIPTION DEPARTMENT OF OUR DRUG STORE. The health of a community is best guarded in the manner in which your druggist guards the filling of prescriptions.

Besides handling the best in prescription goods, we handle well known and reliable remedies.

You cannot go wrong in having your drug needs filled at Chamberlain's. Remember that and call on us. Your prescription will be filled with the best that the market affords.

B. F. Chamberlain
The Rexall Store

and approaching marriage of Miss Shivers and Dr. A. Brann of Sweetwater August the twenty-seventh.

Miss Thomas presented the honoree with beautiful hand embroidered tea towels. Many compliments are being arranged for this charming bride elect.

A Guest.

Sincere Gratitude.

To my many good friends throughout Houston county I wish to express my sincere gratitude for the splendid support given me in this last election. To those of you who felt disposed not to support me I bear no ill will. It is my one desire to make you all the most efficient county judge Houston county has ever had. Toward that end let me ask your hearty cooperation that we together might render a valuable service to our county.

Leroy L. Moore,
County Judge. It.

Attend Funeral.

Messrs. C. D. Towery, Henry Ellis, T. J. Welch, H. J. Berry, John Spence, Carl Goolsby, Fount Kelly and M. Bromberg and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Lacy and C. H. Callaway and family attended the funeral of Mr. Callaway's father, Rev. A. H. Callaway, last Thursday. Burial was in the Crawford cemetery, six miles east of Elkhart. Rev. Callaway was a Methodist minister and died suddenly while delivering a sermon at a church near Athens Tuesday night. He had long been prominent in Methodist councils.

Elkhart 7, Center 4.

Elkhart defeated Center Tuesday in the first of a two-game series at the city ball park by a score of 7 to 4. Evans, a high school pitcher, started well, but lost effectiveness after Reynolds had hit a home run with two men on in the third inning. Matthews pitched good ball the rest of the way. Morgan hurled a steady game for Elkhart. The teams appeared evenly matched. Barbee for Elkhart and Kitchens for Center caught steady baseball. The third inning was the turning point of the game. Six double plays were made by the two teams. Hard hitting was in no wise scarce.

Elkhart 6, Center 1.

Elkhart swept the two-game series with Center by winning Wednesday, 6 to 1. Lynum was strong in pitching and hitting, and Reynolds also wielded a wicked willow. Elkhart scored in the third. Reynolds singled, went to second on an infield out and scored when Kitchens dropped Durst's throw after Lewis

had singled.

In the fifth Durst forced Matthews; went to second on an infield out; reached third on an infield hit and scored when Wakefield threw high to first. This was Center's only run.

In Elkhart's fifth Reynolds tripled to right and Stone walked and stole second. Lewis hit to short and was thrown out at first and Reynolds was run down between third and home, Stone taking third. Powledge singled past short and Stone scored.

In the sixth Lynum doubled to center and scored on Morehead's hard single to left. Shootte weakened after this and Elkhart scored once in the seventh and twice in the eighth. Batteries: Elkhart, Lynum and Barbee; Center, Shootte and Kitchens.

To the Democracy of Houston County.

I take this method of thanking you for the splendid vote I received in your county. I wish it were possible to thank each of you that had any part in giving me this vote. And I want to assure you that it is going to be the highest aim of my life to so conduct the affairs of the office that you shall have no cause to regret having cast your ballot for me, or for giving me your influence. I desire to thank you people of Houston county, in general, for the many courtesies extended to me while there. And I hope, as the years go by, that I may know the people of your county better. When I go into office, it will be my aim to be the district attorney of all the people during my term of office and to try to prosecute all with fairness and the best skill that I have. Again thanking you for your courtesies and your suffrage, I am

Yours sincerely,
W. D. Justice. It.

If some men knew themselves they would be ashamed of the acquaintance.

Just Received

A fresh shipment of Curtis Bros'.
Blue Label Pure Sap
Maple Syrup.

The Home of Good Eats

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To Whom It May Concern

Mrs. Lewis Meriwether has been a student in the Washington College of Music Inc. from March 15th to June 29th 1924, having had piano and harmony during this period.

Her piano work has been directly under my instruction and I am very much pleased with her work as she has shown an excellent understanding of my principles of piano playing.

(Signed) Weldon Carter,
Director of Piano Department.

Mrs. Meriwether will arrive in Crockett from Washington, D. C. about Sept. 3rd, and will open a class in piano about the middle of September.

ANNOUNCEMENT

We are now open and ready for business over Hooks Brothers' grocery store in the Chamberlain Building, where continuous quotations on cotton will be received daily during exchange hours.

Mr. C. M. Valentine, who has had many years experience through his service with the Western Union Telegraph Co., will be in charge of the Crockett office, and a prompt and courteous service will be available for anyone interested in New York cotton and stocks, New Orleans and Liverpool cotton, and Chicago grain and provisions.

This firm is of high standing, and everyone is invited to call and see just how such business is conducted. There has been some few idle reflections cast against such concerns, classing them as "Bucket Shops." This is far from true. The Cage Cotton Company is in the brokerage business, conducted on sound business principles, and is open to investigation at any time.

The office has been completely remodeled and rearranged from last year; also the service has been vastly improved by reason of now having private wires direct to New York and New Orleans, which enables us to handle business within one minute, and all news is daily flashed over our wires and all available information will be given to customers, including valuable statistical information.

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