

BIRDSONG'S

Big Fall Reductions

Starts Saturday, October 16

We want to start the fall business off right, and on account of the low price of cotton, we are going to join hands with the farmer and take our loss along with him. He is losing so we must lose. Therefore our prices are reduced to equalize or balance off this loss. So practically every article in our store is permanently reduced. Watch our prices because our stock is turning rapidly. We are constantly getting new merchandise. Below we mention a few articles to show you. But it would take up too much space to mention all. Don't stand back, because you will find it here at reduced or lower prices. Buy now while you can get the pick.

<p>SILKS AT REDUCTIONS</p> <p>All kinds of Silks, Taffeta, Crepe Meteor, Georgette, Satin, Etc. Every piece of Silk at real money-saving prices. Our prices were right before, now we offer them still lower as</p> <p>\$1.25 values Silks at 89¢ yd. \$2.50 and \$2.75 values Silks at \$1.98 yd. \$3.00 and \$2.98 values Silks at \$2.49 yd. \$3.75 Values Silks at \$2.98 yd.</p>	<p>GINGHAM</p> <p>Best 26 and 27-inch 50¢ value Gingham at 39¢ Apron Checks and some solids at 25¢ Special lot Dark 40¢ and 45¢ grades at 35¢</p>	<p>MENS HATS</p> <p>We have them in Stetson, Davis, and other good makes, any shape or color you might want in velour or felt.</p> <p>\$5.00 Hats at \$3.95 \$6.50 Hats at \$5.50 \$8.50 Hats at \$7.50 \$10.00 Hats at \$8.95 \$12.50 Hats at \$11.25 \$14.00 Hats at \$12.60</p>
<p>Woolen, Serge, Flannels, Twills, Etc.</p> <p>Note our Woolens were delayed and we had better prices than the early bought, but now we will let them go at nothing less than 10 per cent to 20 per cent off. In Wool Plaid or Solids, Checks, Etc.</p>	<p>PERCALE</p> <p>Best 36-inch Light and Dark Percales, worth 50¢, at 39¢ yd.</p>	<p>BOYS HATS</p> <p>Reduced in proportion to Men's.</p>
<p>SHEETING</p> <p>9-4 Bleached Pepperel Sheeting at 79¢ 10-4 Bleached Pepperel Sheeting at 89¢ 10-4 Brown Pepperel Sheeting at 85¢</p>	<p>15 Per Cent Off Blankets</p> <p>These were formerly priced from \$2.95 to \$10.00 in Cotton, Woolnap, Etc. Any kind you might desire. New prices would be for the very best Eiderdown Blankets \$2.43 to \$8.50 \$12.50 Wool, a dandy \$10.63 \$1.25 Child's Blankets at \$1.00 \$1.75 Child's Blankets, at \$1.50</p>	<p>MENS SOCKS</p> <p>25¢ grades at 20¢ 30¢ grades at 25¢ 40¢ grades at 35¢ 50¢ grades at 40¢ 60¢ grades at 50¢ 75¢ grades at 65¢ \$1.00 grades at 85¢ Other grades in proportion.</p>
<p>SUITINGS</p> <p>In Plaids, Checks and Solids, dark colors. Just fine for Children's Dresses:</p> <p>50¢ grade, Fall price 40¢ 75¢ grade, Fall price 59¢ 85¢ grade, Fall price 79¢ \$1.00 grade, Fall price 89¢ \$1.35 grade, Fall price \$1.15</p>	<p>All Shoes at 10 Per Cent Off</p> <p>Not just a certain lot but absolutely every pair of Shoes, Men's, Ladies, and Children's Shoes. We had the right prices but now they go at 10 per cent off.</p>	<p>LADIES HOSE</p> <p>\$5.00 Ingrain all Silk, in black, or cordovan at \$3.50 \$2.50 grade at \$2.25 \$1.25 grade at \$1.00 \$1.00 grade at 85¢ 75¢ grade at 60¢ 60¢ grade at 50¢ 50¢ grade at 40¢ 35¢ grade at 30¢ 25¢ grade at 20¢ Children's Hose reduced in proportion.</p>
<p>Towels at Reduced Prices</p> <p>33 Cent Outing</p> <p>45¢ and 50¢ grade Outing, good quality, solid colors, light and dark, at 33¢ yd.</p>	<p>MENS SUITS</p> <p>They are every one this fall's best styles and were discounted at the time they were bought. We had better prices than some, but to make selling easy we offer them all grades, Blue Serge, Brown and Green solid color Flannel, also Unfinished Worsted and Cheviots. We can fit you.</p> <p>\$25.00 Suits at \$20.00 \$28.50 Suits at \$22.80 \$35.00 Suits at \$28.00 \$45.00 Suits at \$36.00 \$50.00 Suits at \$40.00</p>	<p>We have a complete line of Tablets for School. Good Ink Tablets or Scratch Tablets, Composition, Spelling Tablets and all, for 5¢ and 10¢ If you buy by the dozen, 5¢ Tablets go for .50¢ 10¢ Tablets by the dozen at \$1.00 Our biggest and best Tablets are as good for 10¢ as other charge 15¢ for. Economy, buy them by the dozen.</p>
<p>CALICO</p> <p>Light patterns at 19¢ yd. Dark patterns at 20¢ yd. 25¢ and 30¢ Cotton Checks at 21¢ yd. 35¢ and 40¢ Cotton Checks at 29¢ yd. 45¢ Cheviots Shirting at 35¢ yd.</p>	<p>BOYS SUITS</p> <p>Purchase your Boy a Suit now while sizes are here in Blue Serge, Brown or Green Worsted, Blue Stripe or solid Green Cheviots.</p> <p>\$12.50 grades at \$9.95 \$15.00 and \$15.50 grades at \$12.00 \$16.50 grades at \$13.25</p>	<p>10 Per Cent Off Suit Cases and Trunks</p>
<p>Ladies Suits and Dresses</p> <p>At Big Reductions as \$59.50 Dresses at \$49.50</p>		

See us if you care to save on all New Crisp Merchandise. Our stock is absolutely all new. It's our business that you be pleased with every purchase. Don't forget that everything is practically reduced.

A. J. BIRDSONG

THE CORNER DRY GOODS STORE

GRAHAM, TEXAS

**ATTORNEY GENERAL GIVES
OPINION ON SUFFRAGE ACT**

Austin, Oct. 9.—In an opinion given State Comptroller Mark L. Wigginton today the Attorney General's department construed only the administrative provisions of the suffrage act passed at the last special session of the legislature and in no way touched upon the question of the constitutionality of the new law, the opinion stating that the Attorney General has at no time passed upon and is not now passing upon any constitutional or other questions touching the validity or invalidity of the act. The opinion, which covers thirteen typewritten pages, deals principally with requirements which shall be complied with by those entitled to vote at elections, general, special and municipal, held prior to February 1, 1921.

According to the opinion, to vote in the general election in November, nothing further is required of each man or woman who paid the 1919 poll tax or procured receipts of exemption prior to February 1, 1920. Those who failed to do so, if otherwise qualified to vote, are allowed until 12 o'clock midnight, October 21, 1920, to pay the poll taxes and obtain receipts or to obtain certificates of exemption without payment of interest, penalty and costs.

The poll tax receipts and certificates authorized to be issued under the new law before October 22, 1920, relate only to the 1919 poll tax and the right to vote at elections held before February 1, 1921, all persons, both men and women, who desire to vote at elections after February 1, 1921, will be required to pay the 1920 poll taxes and get their receipts for that year, not later than February 1, 1921.

This is also true as to those required to have certificates of exemption for 1921. Beginning with January 1, 1921, women and men alike are subject to assessment for poll tax and will be required to pay the same as tax, regardless of whether such persons may desire to vote or not. No change is made in the general qualifications of the voter.

BEWARE

I know that it will pay you to wait until you see me before you make your trip to the LOWER RIO GRANDE VALLEY. I will have no partner after this week. My present partner's name is Henson. I am selling the best and cheapest land in the Valley, and any person passing him—my partner or as selling the same land as I am selling is very much mistaken.

W. P. STINSON,
Graham, Texas.

JUST ARRIVED, car of Eupion Oil, 20 cents a gallon—PIERCE OIL CORPORATION, C. C. JOHNSON, Agent.

For Job Work call HILLIARD and WESLEY TAYLOR, Ind Phone No. 4-4.

WANTED—At once, a maid at Hotel Graham. Apply in person. 7c

LOST—A parcel containing blue check gingham and a pattern for bloomers. Return to S. B. Street & Co. 7c

MULES AND MARES FOR SALE—W. E. MOORE, Graham, Texas. 6-7p

POPULATION OF TEXAS 4,661,027

Washington, Oct. 4.—The 1920 census of Texas is 4,661,027, the Census Bureau announced today. The State's numerical increase over the 1910 count is 764,485, or 19.6 per cent.

Indications were that the State's relative position would not be changed when final results of the country's census are announced. Texas stands fifth; New York, Illinois, Ohio and Pennsylvania outranking her in number of inhabitants.

Loss of population in more than eighty rural counties in Texas prevented the Lone Star State from going into the 5,000,000 class this year.

A population increase of 1,110,000 necessary to attain this end was forecast and confidently expected when the Census Bureau began disclosing figures for Texas cities. As the count for rural counties began coming in, however, it was seen that the splendid gains made by the cities would be cut down as a result of rural losses.

Despite this, however, Texas has more than kept pace with the remaining States of the Union and the 19.6 percentage of gain as revealed by the figures today is above the average for the Nation.

Numerically, too, Texas leads most other States in the actual increase in inhabitants.

Since the last census four Texas cities, San Antonio, Dallas, Houston and Fort Worth, have gone into the 100,000 class in the order named. El Paso is knocking at the 100,000 door and if it continues its rapid growth of the past ten years will pass that mark by a large margin when the next census is taken.

The Leader received this week its first copy of the Throckmorton Herald. It is a neat, new eight-page paper and shows that Throckmorton is a live, growing town. The Leader welcomes the Herald and extends a cordial invitation to Editor Gibson to visit The Leader when in Graham.

FOR SALE—A 5-room modern bungalow in good location, furnished or unfurnished. See owner, HUGH MILLICAN, at Wern & Worn. 5tc

FOR SALE OR RENT—Four room house in East Graham equipped with water, lights and sewer.—WILL BARRON, Young Co. Lbr. Co. 4tc

**NEW ROCK ISLAND LINE WILL
DEVELOP STEPHENS CO. COAL**

Crystal Falls, Oct. 8.—Thousands of acres of 48-inch vein coal lies in the territory between here and Ellaville, which will be available for development with the coming of the Rock Island line from Graham westward, according to the local chamber's report to the West Texas Chamber of Commerce.

This coal was discovered in the early days of the section. Before the oil boom struck Stephens county coal was taken from some of the shafts sunk along the Clear Fork river and used in the Stephens County court house and in business houses. It is said to be a better grade than any coal in West Texas. Because of its inaccessibility by rail it was never extensively mined.

When the Texas & Pacific railroad surveys were being made one of them passed through the Crystal Falls section. It is understood that some of the land on which this coal appears was at one time the property of the Goulds, builders of the T. & P., Missouri Pacific and other lines over the country. The line, however, was built further south and coal was discovered in inexhaustible quantities at Thurbur, Strawn and other places. The latter coal is now being used extensively by West Texas railroad systems.

With the opening of the new mines in this section the coal production of the State will be immediately increased greatly. Railroads are looking to these fields to help them solve their fuel problems of the future.

Five thousand acres of finest black land in Caldwell county planted in LATEST IMPROVED MEBANE TRIUMPH COTTON and ginned in our own gin, guarantees to the cotton growers of Texas absolutely pure planting seed. Write for illustrative catalogue and prices.—THE MARTINDALE SEED FARMS, Lockhart, Texas. 4-18c

FOR SALE—Wood, any amount from one to one hundred cords, delivered any where in town. Phone Ind. 235 or 62.—F. M. SOUTHALL. 5tc

Ladies Coats in Real Hudson Seal, variety of styles and qualities, prices from \$195.00 to \$525.00.—THE JOHN E. MORRISON CO. 7c

TO VOTERS OF YOUNG COUNTY

Let us remember:
That Election Day will soon be here.

That the enemy of mankind is abroad in the land—spending lots of money, making lots of noise.

That the greatest faults to be found with our National administration are those distorted faults seen through eyes of political envy and prejudice, and a "holier than thou" contempt for the struggling masses.

That the FULL DINNER PAIL slogan of the Republican party is an insult to the working man, for the reason that it is an appeal to his belly and not to his brain.

BEWARE! lest we regret.

Respectfully yours,
W. P. STINSON,

Chairman Young County Democratic Executive Committee.

John Blount and family returned Sunday to their home in Wichita Falls after a visit to relatives in Graham.

JUST ARRIVED, car of Eupion Oil, 20 cents a gallon—PIERCE OIL CORPORATION, C. C. JOHNSON, Agent.

Mrs. W. M. Morton was ill Monday and Tuesday.



Special Service to Dallas Fair

Trains 742-743 and 744-741 will be operated through on Saturdays and Sunday.

Leave Graham 6:45 a. m., Arrive Dallas 12:30 p. m.
Leave Dallas 3:30 p. m., Arrive Graham 9:30 p. m.

Round Trip Fare \$6.44
(War tax included)

Dates of Sale, October 7th to 24th, 1920

Limit October 27th, 1920

For tickets and full information apply

H. BENNETT, Agent

T. W. BOWDRY, D. P. A. JNO. G. FARMER, G. P. A.

Banking Business Founded on Confidence

In selecting banking connections one desires to know that their funds will be safe and that their needs will be cared for when in want of extra funds. The funds of the depositors in this bank are protected by the DEPOSITORS GUARANTY FUND of the State of Texas, which means that no depositor will lose one dollar. And our officers being men of wide experience and knowing the needs of this community insures both depositors and borrowers that their interests will always receive the attention that goes with good banking. Knowing that your confidence once gained will not be lost, we ask you to begin doing business with us now.

**GUARANTY STATE BANK
GRAHAM, TEXAS**

Officers and Directors

J. T. COLEMAN, President; Q. B. SIMPSON, Assistant Cashier
R. G. HALLAM, Vice-President; MISS LINA PRICE, Assistant Cashier
J. WILEY MOORE, Vice-President; J. J. GALLAHER, Director
JNO. R. ROACH, Vice-Pres. and Cashier; MISS JOHNNIE LONG, Bookkeeper

Three Per Cent Real Estate Loans

United Home Builders of America

Home Office, Dallas, Texas

You can borrow money at 3 per cent yearly balances by making application for a loan with us. You pay \$10 per month on the \$1000 applied for, and when your number reaches maturity in its regular numerical order you will be given credit for all payments made on your loan and you can pay the loan back at \$10 per month plus 3 per cent, which gives you seven years and one month in which to pay your \$1000 loan. Our proposition is a

Safe and Conservative Investment

and our guaranteed bonus surpasses anything you can put your money in. No dry holes, no salt water and you have for your protection the supervision of the State Bank Commissioner, who signs all contracts with state endorsement of same. Look into this matter. See an authorized agent. We have them in every important town in Texas. Each agent is under bond to the state and requires a state license to sell these contracts. If you are interested ask about the proposition. We have written \$110,000 in Young county, carrying a membership of fifty, and every member is satisfied.

Sam Goldwater, Agent

GRAHAM TEXAS

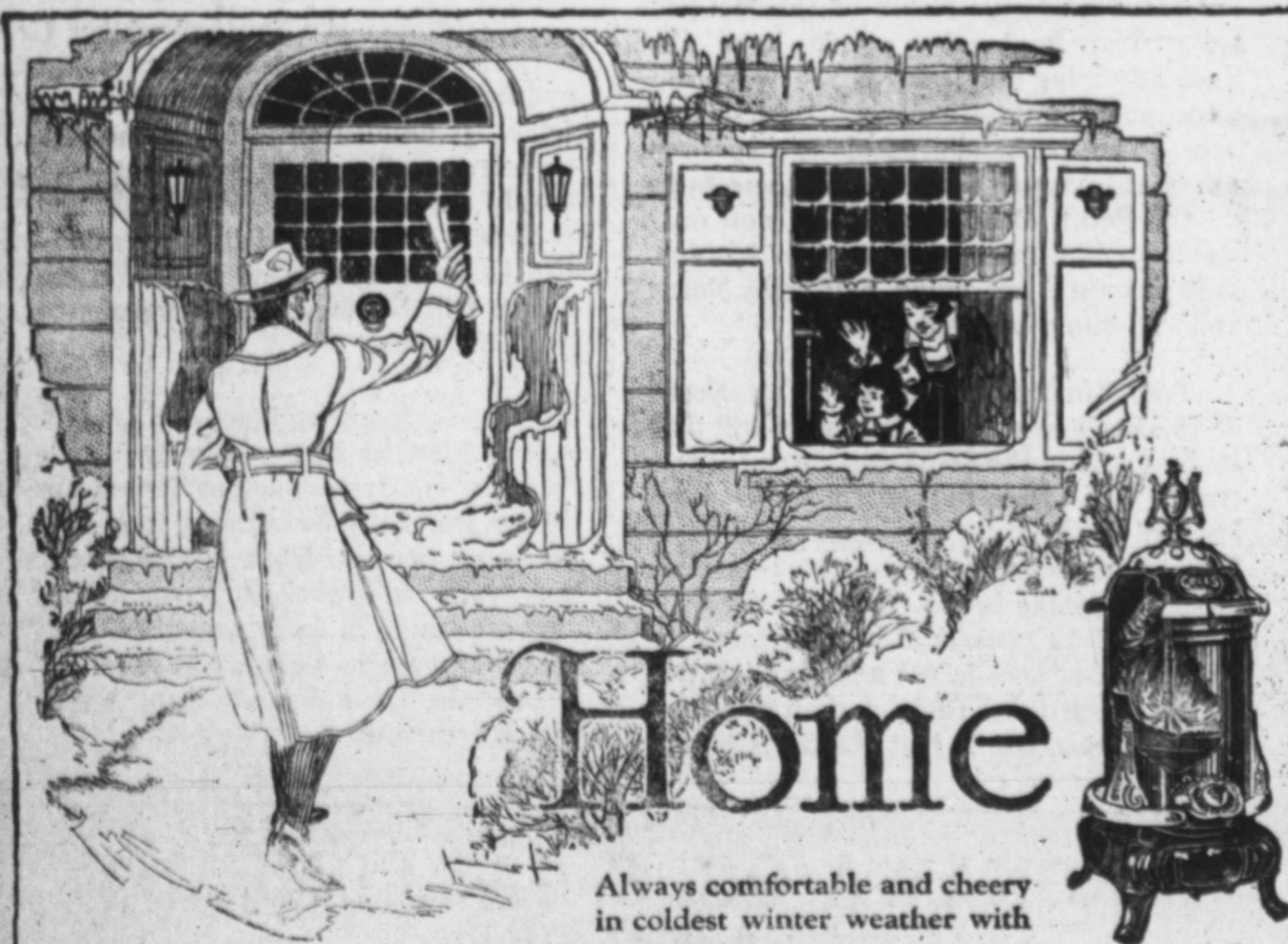
JEWELRY

WE ARE HERE TO STAY

and now have a very fine stock of Jewelry, Cut Glass and Silverware—Community and 1847 Rogers—the very best We guarantee every piece of Jewelry, and our stock is complete Also are glad to say if your eyes trouble you Mr. Hugh M. Smith is now with us and he will give you proper glasses. All refraction defects corrected.

A MAN THAT KNOWS HOW

Harmon Brothers



Home

Always comfortable and cheery in coldest winter weather with

**COLE'S ORIGINAL
HOT BLAST HEATER**

This stove that consumes the valuable fuel gases by means of its famous Hot Blast Combustion is guaranteed to save one-third your fuel. (See cut). We unhesitatingly recommend this remarkable heater to those who want the best and most economical stove made. Don't accept a substitute. Let us show you yours today.

For Sale by The John E. Morrison Company

CITATION IN PROBATE
On Order to Appoint Permanent Guardian

The State of Texas,
To the Sheriff or any constable of Young County—Greeting:
YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to cause the following citation to be published in a newspaper of general circulation which has been continuously and regularly published for a period of not less than one year preceding the date of the citation in the County of Young, State of Texas, and you shall cause said citation to be printed at least once each week for the period of ten days exclusive of the first day of publication before the return day hereof:

CITATION IN PROBATE
The State of Texas,

To all persons interested in the welfare of the Estate of Travis W. Graham, a minor:
On the 27th day of September A. D. 1920, the Honorable W. P. Stinson, County Judge of Young County, Texas, made an order appointing Elmer Graham and Florence Graham temporary guardian of the estate of the above named minor, which said order is now recorded in the Probate minutes of said Court, said minor having an estate of the probable value of \$2500.00, consisting of real property.

All persons interested in the welfare of the Estate of Travis W. Graham, are hereby cited to appear before the County Court of Young County, Texas, at the Court House in the city of Graham, Texas, on the 3rd day of January, A. D. 1921, the same being at a regular term of said Court, then and there to contest such appointment if they so desire, and that if such appointment is not contested at such term, then the same shall become permanent.

Here fail Not, but have you before said Court on the first day of the next term thereof, this Writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Witness my hand and official seal at Graham, Texas, this 29th (L. S.) day of September, 1920.
C. W. HINSON,
Clerk County Court, Young County, Texas.

I hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of the original Writ now in my hands.
M. M. WALLACE, Sheriff.
By W. J. A. COOPER, Deputy.

The LeSage Motor Company received two cars loads of Fords this week.

REPUBLICAN NOMINEES

The following is a list of Republican Nominees for the year 1920 as certified too by the Chairman of the Republican Executive Committee of Young County, Texas:
For Tax Collector: Chas. Long, Graham, Texas.
For Sheriff: T. M. Young, Graham, Texas.
For District Clerk: Sam Hardy, Newcastle, Texas.
For County Treasurer: A. L. White, Graham, Texas.
For Constable, Pre. No. 1, W. E. Henderson, Graham, Texas.
For Justice of the Peace, Pre. No. 1, Tom Long, Graham, Texas.

TAKES THE PRIZE.

Keller—I understand that Yubbers took the prize in the slogan contest.
Feller—Yes; and when his creditors found it out they sent him one: "Come across."

NEVADA RICH IN MINERALS.

The exploitation of Nevada's wonderful mineral deposits has made greater strides during the past few years than ever before in the history of the region, due to the demand brought about by the European war. The annual production of gold, silver and copper has increased from \$21,500,000 in 1901 to approximately \$50,000,000 at present.

THAT CHRISTMAS PRESENT.



"She's afraid I wasn't going to give anything to her."
"What makes you think that?"
"She sent in her present to me yesterday."

Judge Jo W. Akin, of Wichita Falls, was in the city Monday on business.

PROGRAM BAPTIST FIFTH SUNDAY MEETING

To be held at Padgett, beginning Thursday night, October 28, 1920:
Friday 9:30 a. m. Devotional Service by A. S. Wilson, of Newcastle.
7:30 p. m. Sermon by F. E. Suttle.
10.00. Our Church Covenant—G. W. Black.
10:30. How the Money for the 75 Million Campaign is Spent—C. R. Taylor.
11.00. Sermon—J. L. McCord.
Friday 2.00. Praise service by Bro. Welch of Padgett.
2:30. Explain Acts 2:38.—J. B. Riddle.
3.00. Is there Need of Mission Work in Young County?—J. L. Hays.
4:00. Importance of State Missions.—Sebe J. Thomas.
7:30. Sermon by C. R. Taylor.
Saturday 9:30. Devotional service by Herbert Slater of Red Top.
10:00. Bible Repentance—G. W. Black.
11:00. How to Enlist Children in Christian Work.—J. L. McCord.
2:00. Women's Work.
4:00. Board Meeting.
7:30. Church Discipline.—F. E. Suttle.
11:00 a. m. Dedication Sermon.—J. B. Riddle.

Edgar Kemp, county demonstration agent, left yesterday for the Texas State Fair at Dallas.

We have just received a large shipment of ready made Cotton Sacks at SNODDY & SON.

JUST ARRIVED, car of Eupion Oil, 20 cents a gallon—PIERCE OIL CORPORATION, C. C. JOHNSON, Agent.

Mrs. M. S. Hardin, of Seymour, came in yesterday for a visit to relatives here.

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The Columbia Sextette, the first Lyceum number, will be here October 15th. Get your season ticket at Doty's Drug Store.

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FANCY BULK CHOCOLATES at HOWARD'S CONFECTIONERY

DEMOCRATIC NOMINEES

The following are the Democratic nominees who have been nominated for county offices in and for Young county, Texas, for the year 1920:
For County Judge: W. H. Reeves.
For District Clerk: Willie Riggs.
For County Attorney: F. V. Hinson.
For County Clerk: W. H. Kennedy.
For Sheriff: John W. Saye.
For County Treasurer: Mrs. Julia Baynes.
For Tax Assessor: Earl Gilbert.
For Tax Collector: D. D. Cusenbary.
For Superintendent of Public Instruction: H. H. Avants.
For County Surveyor: John E. Meyer.
For Commissioner, Pre. No. 1: A. C. Anderson.
For Commissioner, Pre. No. 2: Sherman McCready.
For Commissioner, Pre. No. 3: Sam Bird.
For Commissioner, Pre. No. 4: G. W. Slater.
For Public Weigher, Pre. No. 1, Graham: Robt. A. Crawford.
For Public Weigher, Pre. No. 3, Olney: Henry Wood.
For Public Weigher, Pre. No. 6, Newcastle: W. H. Dent.
For Constable, Pre. No. 5, Jean: W. F. Thompson.
For Justice of the Peace, Pre. No. 1, Graham: C. D. Brewton.
For Justice of the Peace, Pre. No. 5, Jean: J. M. Taylor.
For Justice of the Peace, Pre. No. 3, Olney: J. J. Gray.
For Public Weigher, Pre. No. 5, Jean: J. G. Hawkins.
For County Chairman Democratic Executive Committee: W. P. Stinson.

W. W. Farmer went to Fort Worth today on a business trip.

If Your Ankles Swell

When you have been on your feet for a few hours, the reason that As Kidney weakness is the cause of a number of serious diseases, any indication of such weakness should not be disregarded.

The Formula of
NYAL STONE ROOT COMPOUND

is on every package. It is sold under a guarantee to do what is claimed for it.

B. S. Doty & Company
"Once a Trial—Always Nyal"

Konawa Oil & Gas Company

GRAHAM, TEXAS

The Konawa Oil and Gas Company exists under a Declaration of Trust which vests control of its affairs in a Board of Trustees, pledges the Company assets for the liabilities and exempts the shareholders from personal liabilities therefor. The Company is operating under the same conditions as the Magnolia, Pierce-Fordyce and other big companies.

The Konawa Oil and Gas Company will render a monthly statement giving in detail all business transacted by the Company and its plans for further work

as good and it is the universal opinion of every one who has been on our location that we are sure of production.

Our Tract No. 3, eighty acres, is located three miles West of the McCluskey and immediately North of the Elliasville District. We not only have a chance for the shallow sand on this lease, but the 3200-foot sand as well. There is a rig moving in today half mile East of this lease, and a location reported about half mile North.

Several companies have had their geologists working this part of the field for the last month and just in the last few days they have reported an excellent find and this District is being combed for leases and drilling contracts.

Our Tract No. 4 is located in the bed of the Brazos River, just East of South Bend, about a mile Northeast of the Payne well.

The Roxana have made a location on the Holcomb, about half mile Southwest from this tract.

Every lease the Comany owns is being tested and it is only a matter of a short time until we will know what we have, but it looks impossible to miss on all our holdings as we have four different chances and right now they all look like hundred to one bets to win.

We are offering to the public the best proposition to get in on a company that has more possibilities for its stockholders than has ever been offered in any field. When you look at the location of the Company's acreage you can not conceive of its possibilities. If you are not familiar with this field, you no doubt have friends that are and would be glad to give you all the information necessary to convince you that what we say is true and not over-estimated in the least.

The Officers and Trustees of this Company promise its stockholders a square and honest deal in the handling of its affairs. If production is found the revenue therefrom will not be expended extravagantly in salaries or otherwise and all contracts for rigs, drilling, tanks, etc., will be open for anyone to bid on and no favors will be shown not consistent with good business.

The Company will pay dividends to its stockholders as fast as money is accumulated in the treasury that is not needed for immediate development in protecting its lines against offsets to its properties, reserving, however, sufficient money to operate and in no wise give abutting property owners a chance to get the flush production that this Company would not get by waiting.

will also be outlined and changed if it does not meet with the approval of the majority of the stockholders.

The Books of the Company will be open for inspection to stockholders at all times.

THE KONAWA'S ACREAGE

The Company owns 284 acres divided into four tracts.

Our Tract No. 1 contains 44 acres and is located half mile North of the McCluskey. The Panhandle people have the lease adjoining our lease on the West and have made a location almost offsetting ours. The Panhandle people are successful operators and are showing their faith in the South Bend District by not only starting four more wells on the McCluskey, but they are going half mile North and starting a well.

Tract No. 2 is located 1000 feet North of the McCluskey. The Company will drill its first well in the Southeast corner of this tract. The rig is up and we hope to get started drilling in the next few days. This eighty-acre tract is located as close as it is possible to get to the McCluskey. According to geological reports made on this district there is not a better location in the South Bend District than this tract and our tract No. 1, just North, is almost



NATIONAL THEATRE

RUNS CONTINUOUSLY FROM 3 P. M. TO 11 P. M.

PROGRAM

Monday, October 18
HERBERT RAWLINSON
IN
"Passers By."
From the Famous Stage Success by C. Haddon Chambers

Tuesday, October 19
WILLIAM DESMOND
IN
"A Broadway Cowboy."

Wednesday, October 20
H. B. WARNER
IN
"One Hour Before Dawn."

Thursday, October 21
ROBERT WARWICK
IN
"An Adventure in Hearts."
Adapted from "Captain Dieppe" the famous novel by Anthony Hope

Friday, October 22
EMMY WEHLEN
IN
"Lifting Shadows."

Saturday, October 23
WALLACE REID
IN
"Hawthorne of the U. S. A."

KONAWA OIL & GAS COMPANY
A TRUST ESTATE

CAPITAL STOCK, \$100,000.00 PAR VALUE, \$100.00
Fully Paid and Non-Assessable

OFFICERS		TRUSTEES	
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A. M. Rennie,	Vice-President	D. E. Simpson	L. B. Scott
D. E. Stimson,	Secretary	H. B. Street	
L. B. Scott,	Treasurer		

LOCAL PERSONAL NEWS

Charles A. Russell, of Decatur, has accepted a position with The John E. Morrison Company and will have charge of the undertaking department.

Insurance of every kind.—YOUNG COUNTY REALTY CO., Guaranty Bank Building. 2c

Mrs. J. J. Fawks and daughters, Mrs. Hardin, and Miss Winnie, left today for a visit to the Dallas Fair and while away will visit relatives in Fort Worth.

JUST ARRIVED, car of Eupion Oil, 20 cents a gallon—PIERCE OIL CORPORATION, C. C. JOHNSON, Agent.

Miss Blanche Bryant will return tomorrow to Dallas to re-enter the business college.

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Misses Lois and Vera Bryant are attending the State Fair this week.

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Jim Guinn and son, Cecil, were in Graham yesterday. He says his cotton is good. He will make eight bales on 12 acres.

FOR RENT—Furnished cottage on corner of South and East streets. Call and see if you want a good cottage. 7p

JUST ARRIVED, car of Eupion Oil, 20 cents a gallon—PIERCE OIL CORPORATION, C. C. JOHNSON, Agent.

Mrs. A. B. Eddleman and her mother, Mrs. Brown, have moved to the ranch, four miles east of Graham, and will try ranch life for awhile. Herschel has been on the ranch since his return from the army. Gus is still in town but makes frequent visits to the ranch.

W. A. Ribble and wife left Monday for Fort Worth for a visit. They will likely visit relatives in Athens before returning.

All feed is strictly cash at my store.—LOUIS BOWER. 6tfc

Dr. M. H. Chism made a hurried trip to Ivan yesterday.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Mayes, of Tyler, on October 1, a fine girl.

Buy the boy or girl useful toys, a Wagon or Tricycle.—SNODDY & SON. 7tfc

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G. Earl Hutchings, bookkeeper for the Young County Lumber Co., spent several days last week assisting in their yard at Archer City.

FANCY BULK CHOCOLATES at HOWARD'S CONFECTIONERY

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Eddleman and little son, John, have rooms in the Hotel Graham.

FOR SALE—Full blood White Leghorn chickens. Write MRS. S. E. HARRIS, Graham, Texas. 5-6p

Miss Virginia Hight spent the week end visiting home folks in Grand Prairie.

FOR SALE—Gin Ledgers, 300 pages—GRAHAM LEADER OFFICE

S. A. Fisher and J. M. Jones, of Wichita Falls, are here today on business.

You will find the largest new complete line of Box Stationery at SNODDY & SON. 7tfc

Mrs. S. Boyd Street and daughter left yesterday for Georgetown to visit her parents.

We have just received a large shipment of ready made Cotton Sacks at SNODDY & SON. 2tfc

Wilburn, John and Will Timmons and Geo. Winger left yesterday morning for a two weeks tour of the Plains and New Mexico.

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H. L. Smith left yesterday for a week's trip to the Plains.

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S. R. Crawford was quite sick a few days last week. He is improving and will soon be able to be out again.

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Mrs. Lizzie Kelley underwent an operation at Harris Sanitarium October 12. She stood the operation fine and her friends hope for her a speedy recovery.

George Black left today for a visit to the Fair.

FOR SALE—Two lots in College Heights Addition. A real bargain.—R. BOWER. 5tfc

COTTON FARMER—Want man with force to handle 125 acres cotton, near Eliasville, next year. Write me at Wichita Falls.—S. Y. FERGUSON

FOR SALE—75 head well bred White Faces, part time to right party located near Eliasville. Write me at Wichita Falls.—S. Y. FERGUSON 1-10c

J. S. Criswell is attending the National Grain Dealers convention in Minneapolis, Minnesota, this week.

LOST—Automobile crank for Dort car. Finder return to Babb Motor Co. and receive compensation.—J. QUINCY ADAMS. 7p

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Mrs. W. T. Finch, of Mineral Wells, visited relatives and friends in Graham last week.

FOR RENT—Two rooms furnished or unfurnished. See NORRIS MILBURN, Sanitary Grocery. 6-7c

WANTED—Axemen, chainmen and rodmen for survey work. Apply H. F. McFARLAND, Hotel Walker, Graham, Texas. 7p

Mrs. R. E. Mabry left Tuesday for a visit to Mineral Wells and Dallas.

FOR SALE—Three good medium size second hand, ladies coats. A real bargain.—IND. TEL. 148. 7-8p

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J. O. McCloud spent Sunday with his family in Bryson.

FANCY BULK CHOCOLATES at HOWARD'S CONFECTIONERY

E. R. Prideaux is spending the week on the ranch north of Loving.

LOST—Diamond ring, Tiffany mounting. Liberal reward if returned to MISS ZELLA ALLEN, Graham, Texas. 7p

Anthony Worm, of Kansas is making an extended visit with his sons here.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Farmer, of Farmer, were in Graham yesterday.

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Many Graham people are attending the Texas State Fair at Dallas.

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Clint Rollins, of Antelope, was in Graham yesterday and left for a business trip to Fort Worth.

SERVICE CAR—Any where, meets all trains.—J. D. LAMAR, Graham, Texas, Ind. Phone 9W. 4tfc

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HAVE DEMOCRATS ACCOMPLISHED ANYTHING?

The presidential campaign is now approaching the beginning of the end. The opponents of the present administration are making a desperate effort to show that nothing has been accomplished.

We are reproducing an editorial this week from the Fort Worth Record that sets forth in terse form the accomplishments of the administration and we are quoting in full the editorial:

"During the months which intervened between March 4, 1913, and the outbreak of the world war, a Democratic President and Democratic lawmakers placed upon the statute books of the United States more effective, constructive and remedial legislation than the Republican party enacted in fifty years. Read the list:

"An equitable income tax, in order that millionaires and multi-millionaires should pay their part.

"A corrupt practice act.

"A warehouse act.

"A federal employment bureau.

"A farm loan bank.

"Postal savings bank.

"Federal reserve banking system.

"These are some of the achievements which the critics of the Democratic party appear to have forgotten.

"Pan-Americanism was encouraged.

"Dollar diplomacy was destroyed.

"A corrupt lobby was driven from the halls of legislation.

"An effective seamen's act was adopted.

"The federal trade commission was created.

"Child labor legislation was enacted.

"The parcel post and the rural free delivery was developed.

"A good roads bill and a rural credits act was passed.

"The secretary of labor was given a seat in the cabinet of the President.

"Eight-hour laws were adopted.

"The Clayton amendment to the Sherman anti-trust act was passed, freeing American labor and taking it from the category of commodities.

"The Smith labor bill for the improvement of agricultural conditions was enacted.

"Now, what is the mission of the Democratic party and the ambition of its standard bearers. Homer S. Cummings sounded the slogan in his great speech in the city of San Francisco in July: 'We seek to re-establish the fruits of victory, to reinstate the good faith of our country and to restore it to its rightful place among the nations of the earth. Our cause constitutes the summons to duty. The heart of America stirs again. The ancient faith revives. The immortal part of man speaks for us. The services of the past, the sacrifices of the war, the hopes of the future, constitute a spiritual force gathering about our banner. We shall release against the checked forces of civilization and America shall take up once more the leadership of the world.' "

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Big Reductions in All Departments

Ladies New Fall Dresses

in wool or silk we can show you a special assortment of attractive new models. These dresses are made of dependable materials and are tailored by some of America's best garment makers. Do not fail to see these remarkable values.

Attractive Millinery

is to be found in our Ladies Department. We have a high grade showing of Fisk and Gold Medal Ladies Hats. It is our pleasure to show you these remarkable values of beauty, style and price. Call in and let us show you these hats. A personal inspection will be convincing.

Ladies Coats and Coat Suits

are here in abundance. Regardless of your requirements we are now able to satisfy your demands. The word "Bischof" stands for quality of material, workmanship and style. The varying and harmonizing colors are here for your approval. Call in and let us show you. A visit will be appreciated.

In Our Mens Department

you will find the most remarkable values of the season. Think of a good weight wool, three piece suit, fast colors and high grade tailoring for only \$29.50. Sounds strange but it is true and we have them in your size. Call in and make us prove this statement.

Kirschbaum Clothes tailored in finest all wool weaves.
Prices from \$40.00 to \$85.

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have been the choice of good dressers since 1856. We have a big line of these hats of distinction and invite you to call in and let us show you.

Plain Felts — Scratch Felts — Genuine Velours
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For the School Boys

you will find our store headquarters. There is nothing so good as one of these all wool "Perfection" suits. They are the kind real boys wear. "Perfection Clothes" are pure thread wool and made the way the boys like them. We stock sizes up to age 19. We have the largest stock of mens and boys clothing we have ever carried.

Caps! Caps! Caps!

These with the fleeced ear protectors, with fur lined protectors and without the ear flaps—anything in the cap line you should want. Prices from 75 cents to \$5.00.

Ladies Sweaters & Throws

Here you find the prettiest new sweaters for discriminating women. Clever new ideas for style, color, weave and design of pockets, sleeves, cuffs, buttons and sash.

Madam Flanders Blouses

are here in a larger and more varied assortment than we have ever before been able to offer for your inspection. \$7.50 to \$25. You will find no difficulty in selecting from our stock.

Ladies Wool Skirts

In the new plaited Serges. These garments are made from all wool material. Exceptional values at \$7.50 and \$8.50.

A good assortment of new plaid Sport Skirts—all wool materials, attractive plaited models up to \$29.50.



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ANNOUNCEMENTS

- For Representative 99th District:
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- For District Clerk:
WILLIE RIGGS.
- For County Clerk:
WILL H. KENNEDY.
- For Sheriff:
JOHN W. SAYE.
- For Tax Collector:
D. D. CUSENBARY.
- For County Treasurer:
MRS. JULIA BAYNES.
- For County Attorney:
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- For Superintendent Public Instruction:
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- For Tax Assessor:
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A. C. ANDERSON.
- For Commissioner, Pra. No. 2:
H. S. McCREADY.
- For Public Weigher, Pra. No. 1:
ROBERT A. CRAWFORD.

**1920 CORN CROP PROMISES
TO BE BEST IN HISTORY**

Washington, Oct. 8.—The 1920 corn
crop promises to be the largest in the
history of the country by more than
90,000,000 bushels.
A yield of 3,216,192,000 bushels
compared with the previous record

production of 3,124,746,000 bushels in
1912, was forecast today by the De-
partment of Agriculture for a condi-
tion on October 1st. The yield would
exceed that of last year by practically
300,000,000 bushels. Kansas, Nebras-
ka and Missouri will contribute prac-
tically all of the increase.

Favorable weather during Septem-
ber increased the prospects for this
year by 85,000,000 bushels. The great
bulk of the crop is now safe, govern-
ment experts said.

Spring wheat is threshing out poor-
er than had been forecast because
damage, principally from rust, had
proved greater than anticipated. The
yield was estimated today at 19,000,-
000 bushels less than was forecast a
month ago, this loss reducing the
combined winter and spring wheat
yield to 740,648,000 bushels, about
180,000,000 bushels below the big
crop of last year.

Threshing of oats confirms the ear-
lier forecast, the indicated yield being
1,444,326,000 bushels, almost 200,-
000,000 bushels more than last year's
yield.

Although the tobacco crop showed a
loss during September of 75,000,-
000 pounds in the expected yield, the
forecast of 1,478,788,000 pounds is
89,000,000 pounds larger than last
year's production.

A bountiful crop of potatoes also
was forecast, the yield being esti-
mated at 414,986,000 bushels, an in-
crease of 2,053,000 bushels since Sep-
tember 1.

COW HORSES FOR SALE

A few well broken young saddle
horses, and plenty young geldings and
mares just broken. Sell reasonable.
Can be seen at ranch near Jermyn.
719c

J. W. LOVING,
Jermyn, Texas.

JUST ARRIVED, car of Eupion Oil,
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PORATION, C. C. JOHSON, Agent.

**BETTER SCHOOL WEEK
EDICT ISSUED BY HOBBY**

Austin, Oct. 9.—In a proclamation
issued Saturday, Governor Hobby
designated the week of October 24-30
as better school week in the State.
He urges upon "all loyal Texans to
exert every possible effort in bring-
ing about adoption of the proposed
constitutional amendment to remove
the present constitutional limit of
local taxes for school purposes."

The Governor also requests "all
loyal and public spirited citizens to
respond to this call to the end that
the constitutional shackles be stricken
from public educational institutions
and the schools of Texas take a high-
er rank among the schools of the
nation."

The proposed amendment is to be
discussed during the week.

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properties and full and complete de-
tails.—SMITH-JERGENS CO., 808-9-10
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Lamar 193. Fort Worth Texas. 6-9c

If any one has lost a span of black
horse mules, 4 and 5 years old, no
brands, 5 year old with cripple ankle
on right front foot, see—M. M. WAL-
LACE, Sheriff, or J. E. Malone. 67c

—FOR SALE—Full blood White Leg-
horn Cockerels—M. Johnson strain,
\$1.50 each.—MRS. BUD GOLDSTON,
two and one-half miles north of Gra-
ham. 6-7p

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your car, we will light it.—500 CYLINDER HEAD GASKETS for 500 Different cars.
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CITATION ON APPOINTMENT OF TEMPORARY GUARDIAN

The State of Texas,
To the Sheriff or any Constable of Young County—Greeting:

YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to cause the following notice to be published in a newspaper of general circulation which has been continuously and regularly published for a period of not less than one year preceding the date of the notice in County of Young, State of Texas, you shall cause said notice to be printed at least once each week for the period of ten days exclusive of the first day of publication before the return day hereof:

Notice of Appointment of Temporary Guardian
The State of Texas,

To all persons interested in the welfare of Nolan Lee Bryan, a minor, R. G. Hallam was, by the County Court of Young County, Texas, duly appointed Temporary Guardian of the person and estate of said minor, which appointment will be made permanent, unless the same shall be successfully contested at the January term of said Court, commencing on the First Monday in January, A. D. 1921, the same being the 3rd day of January A. D. 1921, at the Court House hereof, in Graham, Texas, at which time all persons interested in the welfare of said minor may appear and contest such appointment, if they see proper to do so.

Herein Fail Not, but have you before said Court, on the said first day of the next term thereof, this Writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Witness C. W. Hinson, Clerk of the County Court of Young County.

Given under my hand and the seal of said Court, at office in (L.S.) Graham, Texas, this 27th day of September A. D. 1920

C. W. HINSON,
Clerk County Court, Young County, Texas.

SHEPPARD WILL CAMPAIGN IN WESTERN STATES

Washington, Oct. 9.—Senator Sheppard will leave here Monday for Colorado where he will begin an intensive campaign in four states in the interest of the Cox-Roosevelt ticket. He will make his first speech in Colorado Thursday and will divide time equally between Colorado, Idaho, Utah and the state of Washington until election as the author of the eighteenth amendment which made the country dry. Senator Sheppard is expected to be a big drawing card in the dry states of the West.

PROFESSIONAL ADS

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LEGION NEWS NOTES

The Ligon-Damens Post of the American Legion met in regular session Monday night at the court house. After the regular routines of business a round table discussion was engaged in, in regard to ways for financing a Community House for Graham. Since its very beginning the Ligon-Damens Post has cherished the idea of a Community House in Graham. The plans of the Post is to build a house that will serve as a fitting memorial to the heroes of this country who made the supreme sacrifice, a pleasure and comfort to those who were spared to return; and a credit to the town of Graham.

This building as planned would include not only the permanent headquarters of the Legion but also the public library, the city hall, rest rooms, offices and the like. With the Ladies' Civic League, and the city of Graham co-operating, the local Post feels confident that some time in the near future a creditable building will be erected on the court house lawn.

It was decided by the members of this Post to begin a series of entertainments some time in the near future to help raise funds for this building. The nature of these entertainments will be announced from time to time in the local paper.

The members present decided to have call meeting two weeks from Monday night for the purpose of formulating plans for November 11th. Watch The Leader for the announcement of this program. Also the applications for the Victory War medals will be here and all ex-service men should be here to sign an application for one of these medals.

Line up with us ex-service men and help us—these things over. You haven't lost your pep, so bring it along and fall in with us (route step always) Monday night, October 25th, at the court house.

KODAKERS

Try sending your films to Price's Studio, Jacksboro, Texas. You will get first class work and prompt service.

S. H. Rider, who was formerly principal of the Graham high school, is now the successful high school principal of the Wichita Falls high school.

FOR SALE—Gin Ledgers, 800 pages.—GRAHAM LEADER OFFICE

JUST ARRIVED, car of Eupion Oil, 20 cents a gallon—PIERCE OIL CORPORATION, C. C. JOHNSON, Agent.

J. E. Fitzgerald and Miss Dovie Singleton were united in marriage last Saturday night at the Methodist parsonage by Rev. T. E. Bowman.

WANTED—One maid at Walker House. Apply in person.

We are receiving Goods daily. Do not forget to visit us before leaving the city.—SNODDY & SON.

MEN AND BOYS—You can save money by buying that Fall Suit or Overcoat at MERRISON'S.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION THE STATE OF TEXAS

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Young County—Greeting:

YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to summon J. S. Norton by making publication of this Citation once in each week for four consecutive 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 30th Judicial District; but if there be no newspaper published in said Judicial District, then in a newspaper published in the nearest District to said 30th Judicial District, to appear at the next regular term of the County Court of Young County, to be holden at the Court House thereof, in Graham, on the First Monday in January, A. D. 1921, the same being the 3rd day of January, A. D. 1921, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 18th day of September, A. D. 1920, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said Court No. 633, wherein The Morrison-Smith Lumber Company, a corporation is Plaintiff, and J. S. Norton is Defendant, and said petition alleging that on June 5, 1920, for a valuable consideration the Defendant became indebted to the Plaintiff in the sum of \$258.50 as evidenced by an open account attached hereto and made a part hereof. That said open account is for goods, wares and merchandise purchased from Plaintiff by Defendant and that by reason of said purchases and delivery of said goods the Defendant obligated and bound himself to pay Plaintiff said sums of money. That said account is now past due and unpaid and Defendant fails and refuses to pay same or any part thereof. Wherefore Plaintiff prays that Defendant be cited to appear and answer this petition and that on a final trial it have judgment against Defendant for its debt, cost of suit other and such other and further relief as it may be entitled to.

Herein Fail Not, but have you before said Court, at the aforesaid January 1921 term, this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Witness, C. W. Hinson, Clerk of the County Court of Young County.

Given under my hand and the seal of said Court, at office in (L.S.) Graham, this, the 20th day of September A. D. 1920.

C. W. HINSON,
Clerk County Court, Young County, Texas.

JUST ARRIVED, car of Eupion Oil, 20 cents a gallon—PIERCE OIL CORPORATION, C. C. JOHNSON, Agent.

Dr. W. O. Padgett and family spent the first three days of this week in Wichita Falls.

JUST RECEIVED—A nice line of Stone Churns and Jars at SNODDY & SON.

Mrs. W. T. Finch, of Mineral Wells, Mrs. John B. Wood and Ed Wood motored to Wichita Falls last Saturday.

PRESIDENT-ELECT OF MEXICO TO VISIT STATE FAIR

A telegram from Gen. Alvaro Obregon, President-elect of Mexico, announcing that he will arrive in Dallas the afternoon of Friday, October 15, was received by the Dallas Chamber of Commerce Monday. The message, which was sent from Nogales, Arizona, was addressed to Governor Hobby, who telegraphed the President-elect Saturday, urging him to attend the fair in connection with the Mexican delegation.

The message from General Obregon stated that he would be forced to make his visit a short one because of pressing matters awaiting his return to Mexico.

LOST—Bar Pin set with brilliants, between Howry's barber shop and Morrison's store.—MRS. C. B. JONES.

I have some good horses and mares I will sell very reasonable for immediate sale, also an Essex touring car for sale.—CHESTER A. SEALS, Archer City, Texas.

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More carloads of hogs are shipped annually from our town in the LOWER RIO GRANDE VALLEY than from all the other towns in that section combined. We are selling land upon which dairying and hog raising can be carried on more pleasantly and more profitably than anywhere in Texas. There are practically no flies or other pests to torment the cattle; and no cholera or other diseases to attack the hogs. There is something growing on the outside for stock the year 'round; and Nature has blessed this particular and exclusive land with a pleasant and healthful climate each and every month in the year. We are offering the last cheap land to be had in this marvellously fertile valley. We are citizens of Young County, Texas, and stand ready now and for all time to come, to prove the accuracy of every statement that we make.

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25 per cent discount on our

Southland 7500 Mile Tires

All New Stock and Every One Guaranteed
Get Your Tires While This Sale Is On

Graham Tire Company

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If you want a good second hand automobile or Ford, see

Fred Stewart
at Hughes & Kizer

BE PREPARED

Start automobiling with the comforting thought that happen what may, you're financially protected by automobile insurance.

You can get prompt payment for damage or loss by collision, fire, explosion — you are indemnified against theft and sneak thieves.

The small rate charged for an automobile insurance policy nowhere near matches the sense of security it gives and the indemnity that it provides.

Come here for it.

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Graham, Texas Office with Johnson & Johnson, West Side Square

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TRADE MARK
FARM TRACTOR

The after-service that goes with the Fordson Tractor is second to none. Fordson dealers are located in every community, with stocks of repair parts and employing skilled mechanics who know just how the Fordson should be repaired and taken care of to do its best work. This Fordson service means that your tractor can be kept busy every working day during the entire year—that Fordson repairmen are ready to show you how to get the best results from the tractor. Fordson service insures you against delay in getting parts.

It is your protection. It is a protection now being enjoyed by more than 100,000 Fordson Farmers in the United States. Let us tell you all about the Fordson tractor and Fordson service.

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Immediate Delivery — Easy Terms
JUST RECEIVED TWO CARLOADS OF NEW FORDS



**"IS WORTH WEIGHT
IN GOLD," HE SAYS**

Willhide Was So Run Down His Condition Alarmed His Wife and Friends

"Tanlac has been worth its weight in gold to me," said Walter S. Willhide, a well-known employe of the Federal Rubber Co., Cudahy, Wis., and who lives at 75 Howell Ave., Milwaukee. "My wife and friends were really alarmed about me, but now I never felt better in my life."

"I don't believe anyone ever suffered more from stomach trouble than I did for five years," he said. "After very meal gas would form and I had such sharp pains across my heart I could scarcely breathe. Dull, heavy, dizzy headaches would come on me and I had to lie right down or I would fall over. My back and stomach hurt so bad I could hardly bear my clothes to touch them. I was nervous as a cat and the least noise at night would excite me. The muscles in my legs would cramp at night until I would have to get up and walk the floor to get relief; I lost fifteen pounds, my appetite was completely gone and I was so weak I could hardly do my work."

"Only two bottles of Tanlac have rid me of every one of my troubles. I eat anything and never have an uncomfortable feeling in my stomach, my nerves are like steel and I never have a headache, dizzy spell or pain of any sort. My friends are congratulating me on how well I look and I certainly feel fine."

Tanlac is sold in Graham by Sloan Drug Co., and in Newcastle by Leon Slaughter & Co.

"NOBODY HOME"

The doughboy is responsible for a lot of our most telling phrases— You may call them slang if you will but they are pointed and picturesque you will admit—these terms are uniquely Americanese.

"Nobody home." Is that ever said of you? A distinguished person in appearance may have it said of him.

"Nobody home." A person of happy manners may have it said of him.

"Nobody home." He is not well read; not informed on the world's past and present in literature.

A knowledge of literature contributes the background of all true culture. Let the Graham Public Library supply your book needs.

The following authors may be had at the library: Mark Twain, Phillip Gibbs, O. Henry, George Weston, Zane Grey, Mary Roberts Rinehart, Kathleen Norris, Eleanor H. Porter, Winston Churchill, Rex Beach, Jean Stratton Porter, Edgar R. Burroughs, Florence Barclay, Booth Tarkington, Temple Bailey, William De Morgan, Theodore Roosevelt, and many others.

You will find the library at the front entrance of Morrison's Furniture store; open on Saturdays only from 3 to 6 p. m.

MRS. R. L. MORRISON, MRS. R. G. HALLAM, Librarians for October.

Coal bills are a large part of your living expense—reduce them by using Cole's Hot Air Blast Heaters.

FANCY BULK CHOCOLATES at HOWARD'S CONFECTIONERY

**TAFT COMING TO TEXAS TO
SPEAK FOR REPUBLICANS**

William Howard Taft, former president of the United States, is coming to Texas to campaign for the Republican national ticket, it was announced at Republican State headquarters. The former President will speak in Dallas early in the last week of the campaign and will speak at El Paso the end of the same week. Other speaking dates include Houston, Fort Worth and San Antonio.

A telegram received at Republican State headquarters Monday morning verified earlier reports that Mr. Taft will be sent to Texas for the closing week of the presidential campaign. The telegram was from the Republican national headquarters and was in response to urgent requests from Texas Republicans that a G. O. P. speaker of national importance be sent to assist local leaders in the closing week of the campaign.

Under present plans, Mr. Taft will reach Texas about October 24, and will spend five or six days in the State. He will deliver his first address in Dallas, to be followed by speeches at Fort Worth, Houston, San Antonio and El Paso, according to a tentative schedule given out at State headquarters Monday morning.

State Republican leaders announced Monday that the most strenuous campaign waged in Texas by the G. O. P. since 1876 will feature the remaining weeks of the campaign. Fully forty speakers of Nation-wide reputation are being sent to the State to aid in the closing weeks of the campaign and Republican State candidates are making a vigorous speaking tour of the State.

Speaking dates for John Culbertson, Republican candidate for Governor, for the present week are Monday, Lubbock; Tuesday, Sweetwater, Wednesday, San Angelo, Thursday, Abilene; Friday, Eastland and Dublin; Saturday, Brownwood.

**UNITED HOME BUILDERS
OF AMERICA**

Sam Goldwater, the local agent for the United Home Builders of America, has just returned from a business visit to district headquarters very much elated over the prospects for the company in this county.

Mr. Goldwater has written more than \$100,000.00 worth of business in this county and he has not been able to see many people. Most of the business thus far has been in Graham but he is now placing agents in the different towns of the county and he feels confident that he will be able to write \$100,000.00 a month.

A large advertisement is in the Leader each week explaining the details of the company in making their 3 per cent loans. Mr. Goldwater will be glad to call and explain his proposition to any one interested in cheap money.

NOTICE TO TAX PAYERS

I have sent blank Poll Tax Orders to each bank and post office in the county. Any one sending by another for their Poll Tax, must send a written order. This applies to both men and ladies.

D. D. CUSENBARY, Tax Collector.

SHORTHAND CLASS—Any one wanting instruction in Shorthand, call at 307 West 1st street, Graham. 7p

An Ordinance prohibiting the practice of jay-walking at the intersection of Oak Street and Fourth Street and at the intersection of Elm Street in the City of Graham, and providing a penalty therefor:

Be It ordained by the City of Graham, by and through the Board of Aldermen thereof duly assembled, that from and after the passage of this Ordinance: That it shall be unlawful for pedestrians to cross the intersection of Oak street and Fourth Street, except on that portion of said streets which constitutes the prolongation of the sidewalk along the North side of Fourth Street and the West side of Oak Street; that it shall be unlawful for pedestrians to cross the intersection of Elm Street and Fourth Street, except on that portion of said streets which constitutes the prolongation of the sidewalk along the North side of Fourth Street and the East side of Elm Street.

From and after the time of taking effect of this Ordinance, any person who shall violate the provisions thereof shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof, shall be fined in any sum not over \$25.00.

This Ordinance shall take effect on the day following the publication thereof.

E. S. GRAHAM, Mayor.
T. E. WALLACE, Secretary.

FOR SALE—One acre of land adjoining city limits. Good buy for the money.—G. C. CODY. 8tc.

Hudson Seal Coats. Direct from makers. Good assortment just arrived. Prices \$195.00 to \$525.00 at THE JOHN E. MORRISON CO. 7c

**TO ALL THE PEOPLE
OF YOUNG COUNTY**

Friends and Fellow Citizens:

For the reason that my term of office lapsed but a few days of being out, and my individual business was in urgent and serious need of my time and attention, I have tendered to the Commissioners' Court my resignation of the office of County Judge of Young County, and the Court has accepted it. But as I step into private life again I feel that it is my sacred duty to express to you my appreciation of your friendship and loyalty. I have done my best, and I know that a majority will remember and appreciate the conditions and circumstances under which I had to work, and with which I had to contend. In connection herewith, allow me to say that it is my sober and honest opinion that our new Commissioners' Court will be a conscientious, honest and economical court, and will appreciate your confidence and co-operation.

Please allow me to say further, that, notwithstanding you may unable to see results, more money has been spent on the roads and bridges of Young county during the year 1920 than during any other year in the history of the county except the year 1915. And in justice to your Court it might be well not to forget that we are living in a puzzling and problematical age, and that the high cost of everything is as great a nightmare to the Commissioners' Court as it is to you personally.

Assuring you again of my appreciation, and tendering to Young county my services as a worthy and progressive private citizen, I beg to remain,

Your humble servant,
W. P. STINSON.

**FASHION ON PARADE
WITH A TEN PER CENT REDUCTION**

Consistent with our policy of sharing with our customers any change in the market, we have gone through our entire stock of Ladies Coat Suits, Dresses and Coats and have reduced them uniformly at the rate of 10 per cent per garment.

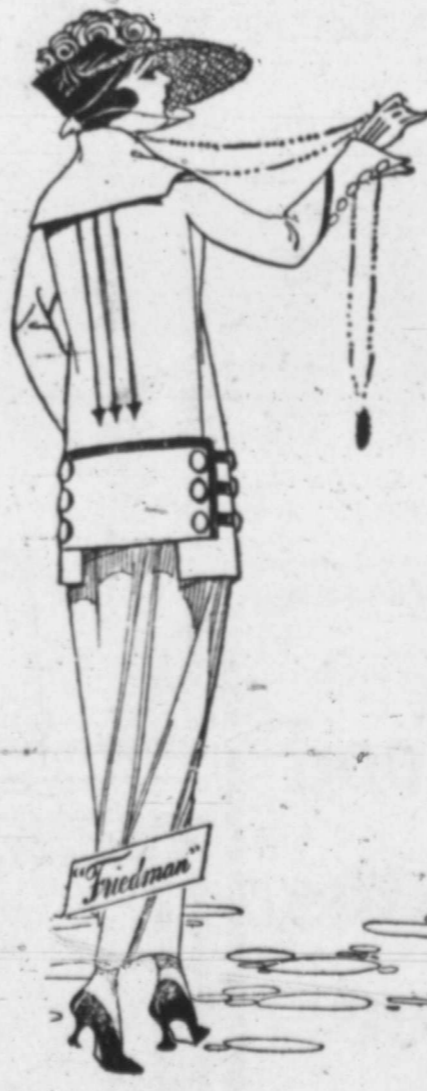
This reduction constitutes the last reduction that shall be made by this firm this season on Ladies Ready-to-Wear. It means a loss in our department of hundreds of dollars considering the vast amount of merchandise handled in the season, but we do it gladly in order to share with you the reduction.



MODEL 1.



MODEL 2.



MODEL 3.



MODEL 4.



MODEL 5.

COATS

Our line of coats are specialized in plush owing the fact that they are being worn and shown everywhere. Sault's plush trimmed in Marten fur, squirrel, and fox.

10 per cent off

SUITS

Our line of suits complete in models of duvetyne, tricotine, French serge, broadcloth, veldyne, gold-cloth, bluetone and silver-tone; many of them trimmed at the collars with grey squirrel and other furs, with pockets emphasized by means of striking hand-work, and with special back and button features that are very appealing.

DRESSES

Serge and tricotine dresses gorgeously trimmed, satin and Jersey silk for novelties, all constitute a perfect collection of needed dresses for street wear.



MODEL NO. 6
Showing a Coat of Beautiful Proportions and Trim

MODEL NUMBER 1.

Developed in duvetyne of reindeer color. Collar is high and conforms in many ways. Now **\$81.00**

MODEL NUMBER 2

Comes in broadcloth and gold-tone and shows a novelty back much desired. Now **\$67.50**

MODEL NUMBER 3

Another model developed in several fabrics gives a new pattern for the back of the suit's attractiveness. Now **\$90.00**

MODEL NUMBER 4

A dress that comes in both tricotine and French serge. Now **\$31.50**

MODEL NUMBER 5

A richly colored, much embroidered suit that while conforming to the straight lines so much desired yet breaks the monotony charmingly. Now **\$99.00**

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