

## Houston Locals.

Dr and Mrs C D Davis spent Monday in Okolona.

Don't miss the big show to-night. 4000 feet of interesting pictures.

Mayor Reid of Woodland paid us a very pleasant call Friday.

Mr. Stantly Wright was at home for a week-end visit last week.

Children Day service at the Methodist church next Sunday.

Mr. I. P. Jones, leaves today for St. Paul, Ark.

Mr. S. S. Stewart of Houlika was a business visitor in town today.

A big comedy at the Bijou-Dream Theatre tonight.

Our line of Men's Straw Hats are complete.

H. C. Brevard & Company.  
The Cash Store.

Dr Will Walker of Houlika spent Monday here.

There is no place like home—if all the family try to make it so.

Mrs Virgie H Scarbrough and little son of Vardaman were the guests of Mrs Will Tabb Saturday last.

Dr and Mrs L T Fox and children spent Sunday in Derma with relatives.

Mr Sam Scarbrough of Vardaman attended court here Wednesday.

Mrs Geo D Van Horn left Friday for Houlika where she will spend a week with her daughter, Miss Francis.

Miss Louise Evans went to Calhoun City Thursday for a short visit.

Miss Sudie Lyon returned Tuesday from a visit to her sister, Mrs Peel in Waynesboro.

Miss Grace Van Horn went to Wyna, Arkansas to visit her sister, Friday.

Chancery Clerk Hal E Brannon spent the week-end with his wife in Memphis.

Mayor Beasley of Calhoun City was the guest of his brother R F Beasley last week.

Mrs W M Woodall, and little son, are spending a few days in Tupelo the guest of her parents.

Mesdames John M Walker, Will Johnson and George D Riley and Misses Nora Griffin and Minnie Hall attended the meeting of the Grand Chapter of Eastern Star at Greenville this week.

Mr and Mrs D L Andrews spent the week-end in Memphis. Mrs Andrews remaining there for treatment.

Miss Annie Gladney, who teaches in Okolona was a pleasant week-end visitor to homefolks last week.

Dr and Mrs Ed Young and Mr and Mrs Bob Hawkins spent Monday here.

Don't fail to see our line of Men's pure Linen Collars, all the latest styles.

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Miss Hattie Tindall of Calhoun City was the guest of Mrs Ella Ford Tuesday.

Mr. E. E. Thornton, of Houston, prominent candidate for the State Senate, spent last Friday in this city.—Okolona Messenger.

Mr. Geo. D. Riley, candidate for county superintendent of education, was a business visitor here last week.—Okolona Messenger.

Mr A N Griffin of Meridian was the guest of Mr J M Griffin and family for a few days this week.

Mrs Ella May Davidson of Woodland was the guest of relatives here Sunday last.

Miss Bertha Buchanan won the medal at West Point Field Day in English. Houston should be proud of this, for it is "honor to whom honor is due."

Drs D S Johnson and V B Philpot spent Tuesday in Tupelo attending the Tri-County Medical Association which meet there this week.

By trading with us, you don't pay for what the other fellow doesn't pay for.

H. C. Brevard & Company.  
The Cash Store.

Mr. Edd Raggett of New Albnay is the efficient manager of the Bijou-Dream Theatre and you are never disappointed for he thoroughly understands the wants of the picture loving people.

Misses Mary Belle Riley, Mellie Allen and Mrs Ashton Toomer attended the Lawrence-Powell nuptials at Derma this week, returning Wednesday afternoon.

Mr and Mrs Hiller Gilfoy returned from Memphis Friday, where Mr Gilfoy has been under treatment for several weeks. We are glad to say his condition is very much improved, and he hopes to be shaking hands with friends at an early date.

## Death.

"Uncle Perry Ray" of Parkersburg died on the 22rd, and was buried at Asberry graveyard today at 2 p. m. Mr. Ray was one of the oldest and most revered men of the county. He leaves a wife and several children and grandchildren to mourn his death.

## Confederate Veterans Meeting.

A meeting of the Chickasaw Camp, No. 1700, U. C. V., will be held at New Houlika, on Saturday, May 1st, 1915, when delegates to the General Reunion will be appointed and other matters will be discussed. All members of the camp are urgently requested to attend and bring 25c each, per capita dues.

W. H. Griffin, Com.

J. M. Griffin, Adj.

Mrs Bigham of Pontotoc was the guest of the daughter, Mrs R H Knox this week.

Mr and Mrs R H Knox and children motored up to Pontotoc Sunday.

The 30th is the day if we are to gain a state prize. Get busy everybody. Clean up your premises and get your neighbor to clean his.

Preaching at the Baptist church Sunday at 11 o'clock, but no services at night on account of the Methodist meeting.

William Hill returned home today from Kentucky, where he was called to the bedside of his sister, Mrs. Lula Rice, who was operated on about two weeks ago for appendicitis.

Mr and Mrs D H Shell and Mrs J M Davis of Okolona were in Houston Monday. Mesdames Shell and Davis joined the party going to Greenville to the Eastern Star meeting.

Judge Bates was down to spend Sunday with homefolks. He reports a lot of business attended to last week. Four negroes have been sentenced to the penitentiary and a lot of other criminal cases disposed of during the week. He is holding court at Houston.—Calhoun Monitor.

## Welcome Eastern Star.

Greenville, Miss., April 20.—The state grand chapter of the Order of the Eastern Star of Mississippi, with fully 300 delegates, mostly ladies has been a busy body since the opening public session at the Presbyterian Church at 9 o'clock this morning.

Dr. Fred R. Graves, pastor of the Presbyterian church, opened the session with prayer. Judge Percy Bell delivered an address, thoughtful, appropriate and eloquent, welcoming the visitors to Greenville on behalf of the mayor and the people. Hon. Wm. Ray Toombs welcomed the visitors on behalf of the Greenville Lodge of Masons, in an eloquent and appropriate address. Mrs. Margaret Nanre and Mrs. Lotta M. Armistead welcomed the visitors on behalf of the E. N. Thomas Chapter, the formal address of welcome being delegated to Mrs. Armistead, whose address was rich in thought and beautiful expression.

To the addresses Mrs. Annie Burkett, associate grand matron of the grand chapter, responded with a beautiful and appropriate address.

From the Presbyterian Church the delegates proceeded to the Masonic Temple where the first formal business meeting was held. At the the business meeting there was the reception of district deputy grand matrons. Response by Mrs. Virginia R. Price; reception of past grand matrons and past grand patrons. Welcome, by Mrs. Ellye Beasley, grand matron. Welcome, by Dr. P. M. Fulger, grand patron. Reception of grand representatives. Welcome by Hon. H. C. Yawn, associated grand patron. Response, by Mrs. Mignonetti P. Potts. Report of credentials committee. Reading minutes of last session. Announcement of standing and special committees.

## Deserved Recognition.

The increasing demand for reliable farm information is very gratifying to those who have waged the campaign for better farming and more sensible marketing for so many years. And the demand is increasing at a remarkably rapid rate, seriously taxing the facilities for meeting it properly.

The Crystal Springs Chatauqua, nineteen years old and one of the best in the South, invited the Commissioner of Agriculture and allied workers to prepare and conduct a week of institute work for the farmers, truckers, stock growers and all interests.

The invitation was gladly accepted and from 10:30 to 12:30 each day for the week beginning July 26th, will be devoted to short talks, questions, answers, experiences, etc. On the evening of July 27th, there will be a "Grown in Mississippi" lecture, illustrated with colored stereopticon views of Mississippi scenes and products.

The following leaders for the subjects named have been selected: "Fertilizers," E. R. Lloyd, Director Mississippi Experiment Station; "Soil Preservation," R. S. Wilson, State Agent Farmers Co-operative Demonstration Work; "Live Stock," Dr. Tait Butler, Editor Progressive Farmer; "Farm Finance," H. E. Blakeslee, Commissioner of Agriculture; Hav. Grain and Forage Crops, P. P. Garner, District Agent; Boy's Corn Clubs, C. A. Cobb, Special Agent.

This is an innovation that may not succeed so well at first, but is bound to grow in popularity from year to year. If Chatauquas are to be made permanent, entertaining, instructive and profitable, the farmer is deserving of a permanent place on the daily program.

Another unique undertaking, will be the conducting of illustrated farm lectures during the Mississippi-Alabama Fair at Meridian this fall. A special building is being prepared for that purpose, lecturers will be on hand and illustrate with beautifully colored and appropriate views of Mississippi State Fair last fall and stock scenes.

These are recognitions farmer and stock grower that are especially appreciated by those who have been waging an energetic and tireless campaign for better rural conditions during the past ten years. And this campaign is only just begun.

H. E. Blakeslee, Commissioner.

Mrs Garner Kimball of Vardaman, daughter of Dr. J. S. Evans is expected home from Memphis Sunday, after having undergone a serious operation a few weeks ago.

In the case of the State vs Zimmie Hill, for the killing of Burkett Harrington last fall, resulted in the jury finding him guilty of manslaughter. Hill was sentenced to five years in the penitentiary.

## Warrant Notice.

All out standing warrants can be taken up to June 1915. Send to Chickasaw County Bank, Chickasaw County Depository.

J W Nabors, Treasurer.

## 50 cents worth

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For Sale—Cabbage Plants, Frost-Proof. 250 for 65 cents; 500 for \$1.00; 1,000 for \$1.75 Delivered. Cash with the order.

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## Board Proceedings.

(Continued from front page)

Dulaney & Tabb, mdse	27.80
J E Johnson, repairs on sewerage	2.60
E W Humphries & Co, iron for culverts	265.02
H L Harrington, feeding pris	68.00
Bill Thomas, Jr., reward for capturing Clarence Hobson	100.00
L E Woodridge, bridge work	22.00
Harry Bros & Co, culverts	233.80
J M Young, road work	2.50
Ben Harris, road work	4.50
D D Tabb, mdse	7.00
J C Stone, hay	30.00
John Hancock, removing tree	1.50
W J Cole, road work	14.58
W J Green & Son, mdse	18.72
J W Andrews, lumber	3.00
Gus Mensior, repairs on court house, district 2	348.00
Times-Post, publications	48.70
T H Pope, wood for courthouse	1.10
Houston Coal & Feed Co., coal and feedstuff for county	74.75
O E Baird & Bro., repairs on courthouse	1.50
D S Hill, mule for county	180.00
Dement Printing Co., rebinding records for Chancery Clk	20.74
S C Jones, mdse	12.65
Southern Sewer Pipe Co., freight on culverts	69.58
Geo D Riley, postage	3.75
A J Harrington, mdse	10.00
Adams & Neuber, mdse	21.75
D E Shell & Bro., mdse	26.57
E Parker, J P cost	14.25
J Q Gordon, right-of-way	10.00
Town of Houston, water & light	21.55
T C Morgan, salary	50.00
Pratt Hall, salary	50.00
Dr. E P Wilson, prof. services	7.50
S M Hall, tents for county convicts	216.00
E J Hall 2 days extra work	6.00
R N Boyd, 8	24.00
W N Gann, 7	21.00
D D Denny, 7	21.00
J W Andrews, building bridge	16.50
H L Harrington, conveying lunatic to asylum	4.37
W P Knox, conveying convicts to farm	5.00
J P Morgan, freight on plow	6.00
Houston Planing Mill, lumber	5.30
Underwood Typewriter Co., supplies	2.63
H B Lacey, work on records	31.90
Taylor Paper Co., supplies	36.00
Egypt Hwd Co., lumber	37.83
H B Lacey, J P cost	5.76
HT Hollingsworth, tick inspector	20.00
J S Gordon, tick inspector	20.00
J W Wilson, mdse	9.00
R N Boyd, freight on 3 tons of hay	8.40
Laura Bean, cooking for convicts	5.00
Mrs Jim Wigg, cooking for convicts and freight on tent	2.25
Lila Griffin, wash blankets for jail	2.00
Baxter Ellison, road work	42.00
D C Chennault, road work	6.50
Joe Wilson, janitor	25.00
J W Brand, blacksmithing	3.00
Houlika Hwd Co., mdse	14.00
Harrill & Shields, mdse	26.25
E H House, keeping paupers for March	108.50
Dave Pulliam, road work	18.50

Ordered by the board that the members and officers of the board be allowed the following amounts for their attendance on the April term.

E J Hall, 24.00  
J N Stone, 22.10  
R N Boyd, 21.00  
W N Gann, 20.00  
D D Denny, 20.80  
H E Brannon, 15.00  
H L Harrington, 10.00  
J E Harrington, Atty, 25.00

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Baxter N. Knox  
Attorney-at-Law

Office over Tabb Bros. Drug Store  
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## Contractor's Notice.

State of Mississippi,  
Chickasaw County.

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Supervisors of Chickasaw county, Miss. will receive sealed bids up until 12 o'clock, noon, on Monday, May the 3rd, 1915, for the construction of the following bridges:

One 46 foot steel span across Houlika on Houston & Aberdeen road.

One 36 foot steel span across ditch in Long Creek bottom on Houston and Aberdeen road.

One 30 foot steel span across Long Creek on Fuller road.

One 30 foot steel span across Holly Creek on Houston & McCordy road.

One 30 foot steel span on branch near Holly creek on Houston and McCordy road.

All to be built according to plans and specifications on file with the Chancery Clerk in Houston, Miss. The Board to let the contract to the lowest responsible bidder but reserves the right to reject any and all bids. Each bid must be accompanied with a certified check for \$500.00.

Witness my signature this the 8th day of April 1915.

H. E. Brannon, Clerk.

## Non-Resident Notice.

State of Mississippi,  
Chickasaw County.

To T M Harris Defendant:

You are hereby commanded to appear before the Chancery Court of the first judicial district of Chickasaw county, in said State, on the Fourth Monday of May, 1915, then and there to plead, answer or demur to Bill for divorce filed in said Court by Mrs W D Harris wherein you are defendant.

Witness my signature, this the 16th day of April, 1915.

H. E. Brannon, clerk.

## Non-Resident Notice.

State of Mississippi,  
Chickasaw County.

To Mrs. Chas. B. Williams, Mrs. R. P. Williams, Dr. William McIntosh, Miss Annie McIntosh and Mrs. Ella Dickinson, defendants:

You are hereby commanded to appear before the Chancery Court of the First Judicial District of Chickasaw County, in said State, on the Fourth Monday of May, 1915, then and there to plead, answer or demur to the suit of Mrs. Minnie McIntosh Walker et al, wherein you are defendants.

Given under my hand and official seal, this the 15th day of April 1915.

H. E. Brannon,  
Chancery Clerk.



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