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NEIGHBORING NEWS.

ITEMS CULLED FROM THE LEADING LOCAL PAPERS.

SAN SABA.
Dr. W. D. Biggs and Rev. R. D. Moon of Lometa spent a few hours last Thursday in San Saba. J. J. Johnson and Miss I. B. Garrett of Bowser were married in the county clerk's office last Friday afternoon.

T. J. Yoe gave up his position as a teacher in the Angleton Normal on account of ill health and is now at home to rest a few weeks.

On Monday, the 29th, the commissioners' court will meet to hear the "causes" why something over 100 tax renditions should not be raised.

The meeting at the Christian church is attracting large congregations. Rev. Holt is a deep thinker and never fails to interest his congregation. He delivers his message without narrowness or prejudice.

Prof. Rollen Davenport and wife have been engaged to teach the Fredonia school in Mason county. Prof. Davenport writes us that the authorities, and patrons of this school have raised by subscription about \$700 to build a new school house and Woodmen hall.

The school board at its meeting Wednesday afternoon elected W. H. Owen janitor for next year; accepted the resignation of J. R. Cunningham as assessor and collector and elected J. W. McConnell to fill the vacancy; fixed the bond of treasurer at \$500, and bond of assessor and collector at \$2300.

All the data required by C. E. Coon & Co. of the irrigation company has been sent. The bonds are being prepared and so far as the authorities can see there will be no delay. Work securing the lands for the reservoir sites and the rights of way is progressing. If it is not found necessary to go into the court to condemn any lands for these purposes there is no probability that the beginning of actual work will have to be postponed.—News.

COMANCHE.
Cadet Oscar Russell arrived Wednesday from West Point where he has been attending the National military academy for two years.

F. E. Adams is arranging to erect a fine stone and brick building 50x125 feet in dimensions north of his present business house, with a ten-foot alley between.

Everything is progressing nicely in the way of preparations for the great barbecue which will be given by the business men of Comanche on the fourth of July. Arrangements have been made to slaughter thirty heaves and ten head of mutton for the occasion. More than one thousand pounds of bread has been contracted for, three hundred pounds of coffee, four hundred pounds of pickles will be on hand to whet the appetite, a well has been dug on the grounds to furnish water for the throngs. This well has 25 feet of water in it, and with the spring enlarged and put in shape, there will be an abundance of water for man and beast. We are expecting a crowd of 10,000 people on that day.—Chief.

BROWNWOOD.
Miss Lottie Coggin has been elected principal of the Indian Creek graded school.

At a recent meeting of the directors of the Brownwood National bank Mr. J. A. Walker was made a director and elected vice-president of the bank.

Geo. T. Connell received notice Sunday of the death of his brother, Jas. G. Connell, which occurred June the 11th near Llanes, I. T. Mr. Connell died very suddenly of heart failure or rheumatism of the heart.

The case of Sam Cole, which was tried in the district court here last term and was appealed to the higher court, has been reversed and remanded. Cole was tried on a charge of murdering C. C. Hudson in Coleman county.

HAMILTON.
G. H. Denison, one of the best business men of Shive, was in town Tuesday accompanied by his little grand daughter, Miss Hooks.

Prof. J. B. Layne and family

A GLANCE AT THE HEAD!

Will reveal something you may want to supply your wants today or any day. Things we recommend. Have a look at these, and that the worth of your money.

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On high and low shoes. The quality of all is the best and if you want an honest shoe of best leather and workmanship, come to us. We have all kinds of shoes, and the figures at which we are selling tell the whole story. Honest value at honest price.

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When a Woman Proposes

Having a stylish garment for summer wear, she can do no better than come to us at once, where she can get the latest and most stylish effects at very reasonable prices. It is a saving to you and a little money to us.

Your Summer Outfit

There are many things you require and we have about all of them. I at the end of your preparation you find it necessary to buy something ready to wear, we'll save you cost and trouble. The best is here and we make it easy to buy.

Study Well But Watch

Don't plunge into a thing blindly, but don't hesitate about taking advantage of what is offered, if it is right. What we sell we can recommend. If you want good things we want your trade.

Where Quality Shows

In the dress of men nothing is so important as the furnishings and the quality makes the appearance. We sell novelties that stand criticism. The best that can be produced is shown here, and we show it while fresh and popular.

Before Starting

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THE DRY GOODS MAN.

arrived in Hamilton Wednesday. He has purchased the residence of Prof. J. J. McColium.

The marriage of Gid Toland to Miss Pearl Horton was celebrated at the Methodist church Tuesday night, Rev. S. P. Brown officiating. The ceremony was very impressive.

Dr. S. M. Jenkins was called to Bell county on the 10th inst. to attend at the bedside of Mr. J. W. S. Porter at Salado. Mr. Porter had been ill for several days, and for six days and nights had been afflicted with hiccough and was about completely exhausted. The doctor arrived at his home about 6 o'clock Wednesday morning and remained with the patient until next day when he was relieved and much improved. Dr. Jenkins had relieved the gentleman twice of this trouble several years ago.—Journal-News.

Prof. R. P. Edgar has engaged to teach the Pottsville school the coming year.

L. Wenzel has sold his flock of sheep, 443 head, to Will Shrank for \$780. His pasture was overstocked and he decided to close out his sheep interests entirely.—Herald.

LAMPASAS.
The smallpox in the northern part of the county is reported by Dr. Tom Dorbandt to be spreading some.

A change of time card was made on the H. & T. C. Sunday, the morning train now arriving here at 11:35 and remaining about four hours.

Mrs. Wm. Whittenberg and two sons, of the Colorado river country, are here this week as the guests of the family of John Markward. Mrs. Whittenberg has a daughter with the Dominican sisters here, and is attending the commencement exercises.—Leader.

Every single day should be to you a day of royal discontent. You never thought as well as you ought to think. You never meant as highly as you ought to mean. You never planned as nobly as you ought to plan. You never executed as well as you ought to execute. Over the production of the scholar, over the canvass of the artist, over the task of the landscape gardener, over the pruner's knife, there ought to hover perpetually. His blessed ideal telling him: "Your work is poor, it should be better," so that every day he should lift higher and higher, with an ever-living pursuit of hope which shall only end in perfection when he reaches the land beyond.

Henry Ward Beecher.

TRIP TO CARLSBAD, N. M.
Editor Eagle:

We find that we can not enjoy life without your paper. You will confer a favor if you will let the Eagle fly to us each week with its news of our friends doings.

I left Comanche on the morning of June 1, and arrived at Fort Worth about 11 o'clock the same morning. Had to stay there until about 11 o'clock that night, but as there was quite a crowd of Comanche people the stay was not at all tiresome. We ate our lunch in the Union depot, all the while admiring that beautiful structure. The spacious waiting room was full of a teeming crowd of people. One could sit and see and study every type of humanity.

All who go to Fort Worth see the packing houses. We went down with the crowd. In reading the life of Swift, the commander of the army of 20,000 men that he employs, I learned that he earned his first penny picking cranberries in a swamp on Cape Cod. Imagine a procession of 10,000 cattle march two by two, in a line fifteen miles long; let 20,000 sheep follow them, bleating along two miles of road; after them drive 18 miles of hogs, 27,000 strong; then let 30,000 fowls bring up the rear, clucking and quacking and gobbling over a space of six miles and in this whole caravan stretching out for nearly fifty miles and requiring two days to pass a given point, you will see the animals devoted to death in the packing houses of Swift & Co., in a single day.

Swift & Co., have huge packing houses in Chicago, St. Louis, Kansas city, Omaha, St. Paul and Fort Worth, and branch selling houses in nearly every important city in America. They have representatives in almost every country on earth.

They have 70 acres of packing houses, with over 160 acres of floor space. They own 6000 railroad cars; they have two or three large brick buildings being constructed and in every direction one could see new houses going up. We were to leave Amarilla on the 9:20 train next morning, but on coming down we learned that our train would

be seven hours late. We walked and walked that day. But all ways it is the same prairie stretching ahead of you. We left Amarilla at 5 o'clock that afternoon, and had a jolly crowd on the train. We sang and talked about the things we saw. Carlsbad River near where it rises, and it looked like a brook. When we stopped in Portales I got off and looked for some of our friends there, but it was raining furiously and besides people don't go to the train out west like they do in the more civilized (?) country back in Texas. My friends left me at Roswell, and I slept till we reached Carlsbad. Day was breaking, everything looked hazy and unreal in the dim light. Jack was standing on the platform waiting for me. Well, he was really glad to see me. I went to the hotel and slept three days and nights. Well, not quite that long either, but any way, I soon awoke to behold the beauties of Carlsbad.

First I'll tell you why the name was changed from Eddy to Carlsbad. About two and one half miles north of town is a spring which is noted all over the west for the medicinal properties of its waters in cases of stomach trouble. This spring spouts forth 5,500 gallons a minute of clear sparkling water, which was found to be almost like, in mineral properties, the waters of the famous Friedrichs springs of Germany, where the invalids of the old and new world go for health. This spring being so near like that one near Carlsbad, it was decided to call the city Carlsbad instead of Eddy. No one who comes to Carlsbad in the summer can fail to call it beautiful, with its long rows of tall cottonwoods, its shady drives and green lawns. And the Pecos river flowing near it, where one can sit and dream, or fish, as many do. Although not so large as her sister (Roswell) on the Pecos, yet she is a thriving little city of 1200 to 1500 inhabitants and rapidly on the increase. Taking the town as a whole, it has thirty miles of large beautiful shade trees, mostly cottonwoods. To make this stretch of handsome drives and parks, it has taken an immense amount of labor and 10,000 trees. They chose cottonwoods on account of their thick foliage and quick growth. Following one of these drives, will take one first across the river. Here one involuntarily pauses to admire the scene spread out before them.

Up the river, just around a slight curve, is a well constructed dam. Here the water dashes over the rocks and "makes music all the day." As you walk on, here is a shady lane, water running on either side, and the fragrant alfalfa fields stretch away to the north and south. This lane winds up a hill, covered with Spanish dagger and other shrubs, till it reaches Hagerman Heights. Here one finds a beautiful mansion. Just at the back of the house is a reservoir built round and always full of clear cool water. From the heights an excellent view is obtained. A mass of trees obstruct the view of the town, but through the trees is visible the top of the court house, college and Methodist churches.

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I heard before coming here that it did not rain, but that was a decided mistake. It has been raining the last two weeks just like it does back in Texas. And this last cold spell caused thousands of sheep to freeze to death. They had been sheared and did not have on their winter wool. This was a serious loss to the cattle men. But I firmly believe that it is "good old summer time" in earnest today. For it is warm and I'm going down to the river and cool off. In my next letter I'll tell something of the flume or squaldoot. (This is constructed of cement to carry the water across the Pecos for irrigation.)

Pardon me for this lengthy letter and I'll promise that I'll shorten the next. Jack and I beg to be remembered by our Goldthwaite friends. We think of all often and kindly.

FRANKIE APPLEWHITE NABERS.

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Mrs. J. D. Harris and son are visiting relatives in Galveston.

J. M. Jones represented Hanna Valley in this city the first of the week.

Ben Brown and wife have returned from a visit to relatives in the newly organized county.

The Masonic lodge were installed Wednesday night.

Commissioner S. L. Cooke of Jones Valley the first of this week visited in this city.

Elder Holt came in yesterday from San Saba, where he had been holding a meeting.

If you know a local item you can greatly assist the Eagle by making a report at this office.

J. F. Jackson of Brownwood has been in the city this week visiting his son, W. B. Jackson.

Miss Allie Humphries entertained Wednesday evening in honor of Miss Maud Anderson of N.ree.

C. D. Hammond expects to receive enough of his goods to be able to open his store for business next week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Vickers left this week for Bristol, I. T., for a visit to their son, J. C. Vickers, and his family.

C. B. Mohler and W. H. Ogles were two of the Big Valley citizens who had business in this city the first of the week.

Allen Bulay and Misses Ethel Cherry, Florence Welch, and Tina Geeslin are attending the summer normal in Comanche.

On account of the Methodist revival being in progress last Sunday Rev. Owen did not hold services in the Baptist church on that day.

The prospects for good crops were never better in this county. The fine rains and warm sunshine causes vegetation to grow almost like magic.

Judge A. V. Patterson and wife of Sterling City are expected to arrive in the city in a few days for a visit to their son, Judge L. E. Patterson, and his family.

The scrapers, picks and sledge hammers the commissioners recently purchased from Hurlbut Hardware company for use on the public roads have been delivered at the court house.

Dr. Brown and little daughters went to Coleman on Wednesday night's train to visit relatives. Dr. Brown is a member of the pharmaceutical board of examiners which met in that city Thursday.

J. H. Allen this week brought to the Eagle office some very fine onions which he raised in his garden in this city. Mr. Allen is experienced in raising fine vegetables and is making money out of the business.

Sheriff Atkinson and Deputy Welch arrested a white man they found Thursday morning concealed in a box car in a south-bound train. It was thought the man was one of four who broke jail in Brownwood, but he proved to be innocent and was liberated.

G. W. Briggs, the old gentleman who came here from Hearne last winter suffering with a cancer and remained until a few weeks ago, died on June 12 at his home in Robertson county. The old gentleman and his sisters have friends here who were grieved when the news came that he was dead.

Last Sunday afternoon Col. J. A. Vickers and wife drove over toward Payne and when they had gone a mile or two from town they encountered a large catamount at the roadside. The animal did not appear to be the least particle frightened. Col. Vickers did not have his revolver with him at that time and, consequently, the catamount escaped unharmed.

ZEPHYR.

Editor Eagle: Notwithstanding the intense heat on Wednesday, the Masonic picnic was an enjoyable occasion. It is estimated that there were between twelve and fifteen hundred people on the grounds. Some splendid addresses were made by distinguished visitors. In the afternoon they had a tournament and base ball game. Henry Smith of Pompey won first honors at the tournament contest. Miss Miranda Shelton was voted a cake for being the most popular young lady of the day.

J. E. Puckett and family left Tuesday for a visit of a month or more to relatives in Travis county.

Sunday night the Goldthwaite returned where she was to join a party going to Camp Dick's Mill. She reports having had a pleasant trip.

A dangerous looking cloud came up suddenly in the night Sunday night and scared a great many people into their storm houses. No damage is reported.

Claud Wilson gave the young folks a dance at his house Wednesday night, which was greatly enjoyed.

Little Mertle McBurney returned Wednesday night from a visit to Fort Worth.

It is reported that Sam McBurney, who was raised here, but who now holds a position as telegraph operator in Houston, was one of the party who barely escaped drowning while in bathing in Galveston a few days ago. Part of his party were drowned.

T. E. Lancaster and family attended the marriage of Mrs. Lancaster's nephew at Steppa Creek church Sunday afternoon.

It is again reported that young Walker Cabler is dying. He is not expected to live through the day. The doctors call his disease consumption of the muscle. This is the third time in the last two weeks he has been thought to be dying.

Brother Martin will begin his meeting at the tabernacle one week from Sunday. He will be assisted during the meeting by Brother Chappel, pastor of the Cumberland church of Brownwood. K. LAMITY.

WASHBOARD.

Editor Eagle: Here I come with another short message.

The wedding bells are ringing. Last Sunday morning at 10 o'clock at the residence of the bride's parents, several friends and relatives witnessed the ceremony performed by Rev. Deaton uniting Will Hamilton and Miss Eunice Boler in the holy bonds of matrimony. A delightful dinner was served in honor of the young couple. Mr. Will is a prosperous young farmer of Mills county and Miss Eunice is an accomplished daughter of Mr. J. M. Boler. We wish them much happiness through life.

Miss Emma Williams and brother, Cad, of Ballinger passed through this week en route to Pottsville, where they expect to spend a month or two visiting friends and relatives.

W. J. Boler and family of Mullin have been visiting in this part for the past few days. Their niece, Miss Pallie Boler, returned home with them Monday. Misses Eva Garman and Ella Brown of Goldthwaite spent a few days at J. A. Harris' last week.

Miss Dora Harris has lately made a trip to Rock Springs. We had quite a storm here last Sunday night, which did considerable damage to the grain. I must get back to my daily task in the 'goose grass patch.' SWEET WILLIAM.

ANTELOPE GAP.

Editor Eagle: As no one else knows how to tell of our little happenings, but myself, I will endeavor to give you a few lines from here once more.

The health is splendid with the exception of a few cases of cold, none very sick except Mrs. Cora Ford's little babe.

You may think it strange, but it is nevertheless true, we are

expecting to be introduced to a new bride.

Gus Ford started his thrasher this morning, and it will be some time before the hum of the old thrasher ceases in this part, for about all the farmers here have more or less grain to thrash. And as Mr. Ford is an expert thrasher, he never fails to get all the thrashing in reach of him.

Corn in this community is just fine and farmers are rejoicing, for they think they will not have seed corn to buy, at least, another year.

Colton is getting low here, for there are about six grass hoppers and a thousand leg to the stalk. It is just so. This part of the country is being eaten up with grass hoppers. The farmers are poisoning most every day and are having their children to kill them. They are so very large that the old roosters are afraid to try to kill them. They have been here about three or four weeks and have eaten up most all of some cotton crops. Some of our neighbors seem excited and lots of them just live in their fields trying to rid their crops of the hoppers.

I met up with T. F. Elliott last Sunday. He was riding very fast. I hailed him and asked what was up, I thought by the fagged condition of his horse and the pale countenance he wore, some of his family were very sick, but after some time he composed himself enough to relate the destruction of the horrible hoppers. He was then on the hunt for hands to kill them.

Miss Sallie Ramsey, Mrs. Annie Cox's sister, has returned home from attending school at Keen, after an absence of eight months. We welcome her with glad hearts, for she is a bright star in any community.

We are sorry to say that Grandma Ford and her daughter, Mrs. Mary Mauldin, are going to move to town after the ruin of the thrasher is over. They are living with their son and brother on his ranch, so Mr. Ringler will be looking for a new cook. Watch out girls for old Rover.

Our community is blessed with a good and attentive Sunday school. With Mr. Straley as superintendent, John Stephenson as secretary.

Mr. Leshower preaches for us once a month. Will begin a camp meeting one month from last Sunday. All are invited to come and bring the old women and children. FEOGIE FOE.

THAT THROBING HEADACHE. Would quickly leave you, if you used Dr. King's New Life Pills. Thousands of sufferers have proved their matches merit for sick and nervous headaches. They make your blood and build up your health. Only 25c, money back is not cured. Sold by Ross & Clements.

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Poor Health

Laxative doses of Ayer's Pills each night greatly aid the Sarsaparilla.

GRAND CANYON

Editor Eagle:

When deciding for a tour I allowed Canon of Arizona to choose the San The trip was long time and was expensive. By Southern Pacific had company alone.

One view ever settled in my mind of my tiresome journey five miles zone, out to twenty-five this trip. I was forty jolly and whom to reached it on about noon, view of the Grand Canyon. I had heard of the Grand Canyon, but I had never seen it. I had heard of the Grand Canyon, but I had never seen it. I had heard of the Grand Canyon, but I had never seen it.

As I was passing around this primitive inn, for as a moment, without any warning, we stood at the end of the world, at the brink of the kingdoms of peace and pain. This awful chasm lay before us. We stood in awe before the mighty panorama. He is stolid, indeed, who can look upon this scene and view its unearthly splendor of form and color, without quaking knee and tremulous breath.

Never in life, did I so long for words to describe what lay before me, but words are inadequate. It was as though the glory of nature was added to the glory of art, as though to achieve her utmost the proud young world had commanded architecture to build and color to grace the building. Peak after peak rises in its majestic grandeur, each seems trying to rival the other in form and color. Every tint of the rainbow is evident in this chasm, when the sun throws his celestial rays of light into its bosom. These colors are not the same for any perceptible length of time, the scene is ever changing. Never did I feel my subordination to our God as I did when I stood on the ruin of this great canyon, and feel its awful presence. "Sermons in stone" abound at every turn and he must be blind, indeed, who with these environments, looks not "through nature up to nature's God." The sweetest experience to me was the evening I sat on one of those lonely peaks and watched the light of day fade away and the evening shadows gather. The next morning the scene was again new. I wondered if I should spend a month on the ruin, if there would ever be a sameness to the view.

About 8:30 of the first morning, with a faint heart, I started down the trail. This trail had been described to me, and as I soon learned, the picture had not been overdrawn. The guide had promised me a safe horse—they are all safe—and had endeavored to raise my spirits by the promise to ride near me. The ladies are required to wear divided skirts and to ride astride. I first rebelled, but soon decided to comply with the rule "when in Rome do as the Romans do."

The first two miles of this trip is a sort of Jacob's ladder zig-zagging at an unrelenting pitch. As I looked down and realized that the least false step of my horse would send me hundreds of feet below, in fact, so far that I would starve to death ere I reached the ground; my courage failed, my voice trembled, and my knees hit against my saddle. The guide was a very kind man, so came back, led my horse and tried to increase my courage. My courage increased proportionately as the danger decreased. At the end of these two miles a comparatively gentle slope was reached. Here I began to feel proud of having had courage to start on the trip and began to appreciate its value to me. Looking back at the huge towers, changing them from giants to pigmies and they appeared to be piercing the sky, yet less than half the journey had been made. We traveled now with much more speed and soon stood on the brink of the Colorado river. We were still 1300 feet from the stream. A very few of our party had courage to go the remaining distance and really reach the water. I remained on the plateau, feeling that I had enjoyed sufficient experience to make some estimate of Maj. J. W. Powell's course when he explored the canyon for the first time in 1809. After sitting for a while, viewing the small part of the great river that was visible, we re-

visited my uncle, Walter Boler and family, this week.

Miss Ollie Montgomery, daughter of Billie Montgomery of Comanche county, is visiting Miss Jessie Little this week.

Mrs. Laurie Kettle of Comanche county, has been visiting the family of Aaron Little this week.

Fred Wilson of Ira, Scurry county, is back among his many friends in Mills county. He is going to feed the thrasher for his father this season. Fred is an old hand and very destructive on chickens. Tell those Croy chickens to look a little out.

Joe Williams is at home now. Joe says the weeds and harvesting business is keeping him on his own side of the bayou.

Bennie Williams says the harvesting, weeds or any little frivolous thing like that cannot keep him from going over to see how Uncle Polk Ratliff is progressing these days.

Mrs. White tells us she received a letter from Mrs. Van Glahn today and that Mama V. is getting home sick.

Quite a number of the young men and young ladies of Mullin attended the Zephyr picnic on the 24th inst and report a fine time.

E. R. Alexander, who is working on section 49, under A. V. Huggins, received a sunstroke yesterday and the boys thought he was not going to pull through for a while, but we're proud to see he is up and about again.

W. H. Absher and family spent Tuesday night on the bayou fishing. They report a good time and no fish, as usual.

J. D. Chesser and family wish to extend their heart felt thanks to the good people who have administered to their wants during the illness of their daughter, Miss Della.

Uncle W. D. Fisher is able to be up and has been to town this week shaking hands with his many friends. He is looking better than he has for quite awhile.

Henry Jackson is still recuperating. Ben Kettle and R. D. Martin want to buy a bushel or so of poultry seed. They say that they planted a good many this spring, but the chickens scratched them all up and they will have to plant over if they raise any poultry this year.

E. F. and O. J. Casey had business in the county capital this week. Joe Lockett, O. J. Casey and Walter Casey are going to Guyman in Oklahoma next week. They are thinking of locating in that part.

Miss Agnes Ross is playing post master these days. Uncle Rube Tate has both eyes open these days we think, as he says he gave a yearling a dose of nuxvomica and measured up a bushel and a half of ticks that fell off of said yearling in less than an hour. OMEGA.

WORST OF ALL EXPERIENCES. Can anything be worse than to feel that every minute will be your last? Such was the experience of Mrs. S. H. Newton, Decatur, Ala. "For three years" she writes: "I endured insufferable pain from indigestion, stomach and bowel trouble. Death seemed inevitable when doctors and all remedies failed. At length I was induced to try Electric Bitters and it's result was miraculous. I improved at once and now I'm completely recovered." For liver, kidney, stomach and bowel troubles Electric Bitters is the only medicine. Only 25c at Ross & Clements.

ed a mile or more to a spring of water and there for lunch. Never was water quite so delicious, never was cold food quite so able. Never did a crowd enjoy such an elaborate feasting or Christmas dinner as did that crowd of merry ate enjoy the little sacks of sandwich and boiled eggs were handed out to each of by the guide.

After an hours rest we again started and started of our run. I looked toward the top of canyon and felt hopeless. The trail is so winding that you see it only at intervals, it appears continuous for only a few feet. I was not so frightened going back and so enjoyed the grandeur of my surroundings much more. The ascent is so great that on our return trip we had to stop every few minutes for the horses to get breath. One place is so steep that every body walks up and down it. The horses had to scramble to get up. I feared they would fall back on us, but they seemed to understand their business. At last we reached the top, arriving at 4:30 p. m. and "Bright Angel Hotel," a rustic log house in the edge of the pine grove, held out sweet promise of rest to our weary bodies. I sat on my horse until a snap-shot was made of me, then dismounted, feeling fully repaid for my trip. You really have no conception of the magnitude of the canyon unless you go down the trail. Depth is much more real when looked at from below. This canyon, saber like, thrust itself into the bosom of mother earth, causing a rent 217 miles long, 13 miles wide and a mile deep.

John L. Stoddard said, "The Grand Canyon of Arizona is nature wounded unto death and lying stiff and ghastly, with a gaub 260 miles in length and a mile in depth in her bared breast, from which is flowing; a stream of lifeblood called the Colorado." Joaquin Miller said, "Take the grandest, sublimest thing the world has ever seen, fashion it as if the master minds from the beginning had wrought here, paint it as only the masters of old could paint, and you have El Canon Grande del Colorado." I feel I have written all around the subject and never touched it. I have tried several times to give you a general description of the canyon and have failed to give you even a faint picture of its sublimity, grandeur or beauty, but artists have failed with their brushes. Men and women of letters have failed with their pens, so what can I do? Every picture that I have seen only cheapens this grand picture in nature. I talked with numbers of globe-trotters and they tell me that this is the grandest scene in all nature, Niagara Falls, Yellow Stone Park, the Alps, the Himalayas, etc, not excepted.

MISS MYRA PRATER
Los Angeles, Cal.

MULLIN.

Editor Eagle: As I was prevented from writing last week by sickness, I will drop you a few remarks today.

We have had very good rains in several places around Mullin, but nothing like a general rain up to the present writing, although corn is not suffering yet. Cotton is looking fine. Most of our people have their crops in fine shape. And with one more rain in a few days we will make a fine crop of corn.

Will Keating is on the sick list this week.

Miss Della Chesser, who has been dangerously sick for the last week, is improving slowly.

Mrs. P. W. Bolton has been on the sick list, but is better now. Allen Bulay passed through our town en route to Comanche, where he goes to attend the Comanche normal. Allen is a deserving boy and we feel sure he will make his mark in the world if hard study and perseverance will accomplish anything.

Emmett Singleton bought one of those high grade wind mills from W. B. Jackson of Goldthwaite this week.

J. M. Justice shipped a car of cattle from Mullin to New Orleans this week.

Hays Burgess and mother will leave Sunday night for Delta county to visit relatives, and Hays is going to act as stereoptical agent for Underwood & Underwood while he is out in that part. And we learn that there is an aching void in a certain young lady's breast in Mullin, but Hays tells us he is going to return about September 1, and all will be made well.

Miss Pallie Boler, daughter of our wide hearted John Boler of the Indian Gap country, has been

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REPORTORIAL REVIEW.

Patronize the Star Roller Mills. Best Syrup at Prater's. T. N. Berry of Pleasant Grove had business in the metropolis Saturday. Order Tip-Top flour—Prater. Boston Brown flakes at Street's. The rain this week was of great benefit to the growing corn. Boston Brown flakes at Street's. Miss Hasie White of Mullin has visited friends here this week. Tobacco and cigars at Prater's. Tip-Top the best flour.—Prater. J. B. Ferguson is in the market for hides. Ed Mason of Coy was among the visitors to Galveston on the excursion. You got 40 bars good laundry soap or \$1. at Prater's. W. H. Nelson of Big Valley had business in the city the first of the week. Good high patent flour \$1 per sack at J. B. Ferguson. Les. Walker is rejoicing because of the arrival of a new boy at his house. You got a 10 cent loaf of bread for 5 cents at Lochabys'. Will L. left Saturday night for a visit to Hampden, Timpan and other places. The latest in gent's stud and shirt buttons at Miller's Jewelry store. Mrs. McCulley returned Wednesday night from a visit to relatives at Cotulla Cove. We supply the best glass and guarantee you a satisfactory fit.—L. E. Miller, Jeweler and optician. Confectioneries and fresh bread at Lochabys' next to post office. Oscar Oliver, son of W. J. Oliver, has gone to Waco to spend a few weeks with his grand-parents. Parties having photograph work to the amount of \$3 done by me will receive a nice sized photo paper weight free. Miss Alma Kemp. The Cottage in Cottage is prepared for a few more boarders. If you are in getting board at the Cottage you will never want to leave. We have fine cultivators that we will trade for cattle, horses or mares.—Hurlbut Hardware Company. Prof. Eugene Oliver, who was principal of the Goldthwaite school a few years ago, has been appointed to conduct a summer normal at Cotulla, Wood county. J. Lochabys will move his business into the room in the bank building that was occupied by Mr. Blanton's saloon. J. H. Allen will occupy half of the building as a saddle repair shop.

ROLLS COMPLETE. Tax Assessor Brinson and his assistants, Messrs. Joe Frizzell and W. E. Pardue, have completed the tax rolls of 1903 and the work is very neatly executed. There has been considerable increase in taxable values, as shown in the following:

NUMBER	PROPT'Y	VALUE	
1902	1903	1902	1903
47807	48077	1315005	1326215
7532	6918	102565	102900
26484	26105	170640	162885
87	84	231995	214120
5717	5550	4584	5043
324	309	8050	4430
1945	1888	315	455
124	102	8385	5745
1450	1621	855	855
		43295	43770
		109130	118930
		38485	37255
		2850	3040
		60845	62785
		33400	30800
		56810	50770
		8450	8450
		135	238830

Total valuation for 1902... \$2,623,245
Total valuation for 1903... 2,844,825
Gain... 221,580

ROLLS COMPLETE.

Forty pounds whole wheat flour for a bushel of wheat at Star Mills. M. O. and Dr. Kirkpatrick were here from Mullin the first of the week. Ed Sullivan went to Coleman this week to be examined for registration as a pharmacist. A large party of young people and some older ones left yesterday for Chadwick's mill. Capt. Strickland and wife, R. E. Strickland, C. E. Strickland and J. W. Roberts and their families spent the first of the week at Willis' mill fishing. J. A. Allen this week purchased from J. T. Smith the farm a few miles east of the city known as the F. J. Brown or J. F. Morris pre-emption. This tract contains 100 acres. The regular convention of the Goldthwaite chapter of Royal Arch Masons will be the second Saturday night after the meeting of the Blue Lodge, which is Saturday night on or before the full moon in each month. J. W. McCulley has returned from Brady, where he spent several days in charge of the Smith-Walker company's business during the absence of the manager whose place he filled. He has now severed all connection with that company. He has several business offers, one of which is to manage a wholesale and retail house at Los Vegas, N. M.

MEETING CLOSED.

The protracted meeting which was held in the Methodist church for ten days, closed Tuesday afternoon and Rev. Brown left for his home in Hamilton shortly after the last service. This series of sermons proved very beneficial to the church membership as well as those 'outside' of the church. Rev. Brown is one of the most entertaining and impressive speakers ever heard in this town and the fact that he was forced to close the meeting because of his other appointments was universally regretted. The church going people like his style of preaching and speak in high terms of Rev. Linn's good judgment in securing such an able assistant in the meeting.

LEAGUE PROGRAM.

Lesson from Era. June 14, used in place of June 28. Leader—Dr. H. E. Brown. Subject—Gold or God. Scripture, Luke 18:18-30. Prayer. Worldly condition has no moral character.—Miss Alma Trent. Godliness and contentment, 1 Tim. 6:6-12—Miss Lois Burrows. Riches never satisfy—Mrs. Edda Grundy. More desirable than gold, Pa. 10, 7-14—Miss Emma Kennedy. Money getting and money-using are perilous—Miss Mattie Cox. The principle of sacrifice—Miss Leila Conroy. The great reward—Mrs. R. M. Thompson.

B. Y. P. U. PROGRAM.

For Sunday, June 28. Subject—The passing of opportunity, Luke 19:41-44, Mat. 11:23-24. Leader—W. E. Miller. Select reading—Miss Ella Brown. Select reading—Miss Laura Hicks. Select reading—Miss Mattie Little. Talk by members. CAMP MEETING. The annual camp meeting at Williams Ranch will begin next Friday and continue ten days or longer. Elder A. S. Bradley will do the preaching and those who hear him will be edified and instructed. He is well versed in the scriptures and is always willing and ready to explain them. Those who can attend the grounds are invited to do so, and the public in general will be welcome to attend the services.

MULLIN MEETING.

Last Sunday was a good day with the Baptist church of Mullin. A large, attentive congregation at the morning services, preaching by the pastor. Sunday night Brother Vann preached an able sermon to a large and appreciative audience. Our protracted meeting will begin on Saturday night before last Sunday in July. We ask interest in the prayers of the people of Mills county association that the Lord may be with us in great power. W. D. VINSON. CONSTIPATED BOWELS. For good health, the body must be kept in a laxative condition. Bowels moved at least once a day. All the poisonous wastes are eliminated. Mr. G. L. Edwards, of Dallas, Kas., writes: "I have used your medicine for the past ten years and it is a reliable remedy." Logans.

JUNIOR B. Y. P. U. PROGRAM.

For Sunday, June 28. Subject—Youthful consecration. Scripture—Ecc. 11:7-10, 12:1-7. Leader—Elliott Bourland. Roll call. Recitation—Willie Hicks. Reading—Eva Kirby. Recitation—Floidy Jackson. Recitation—Mae Allen. Solo—Mary Lou Harris. Recitation—Nina Wells. Quartet—Louise Hammond, Vera Kirby, Elliott and George Bourland. Talk on lesson—Brother Owen.

STARTLING EVIDENCE.

Fresh testimony in great quantity constantly coming in, declaring Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption, coughs and colds to be unequalled. A recent expression from T. J. McFarland, Bentonville, Va., writes: "I had bronchitis for three years and doctored all the time without being benefited. Then I began taking Dr. King's New Discovery, and a few bottles wholly cured me". Equally effective in curing all lung and throat troubles, consumption, pneumonia and grip. Guaranteed by Ross & Clements druggist. Typical bottle free, regular size 50c and \$1.00.

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By enabling the digestive organs to digest, assimilate and transform all of the wholesome food that may be eaten into the kind of blood that enriches the nerves, feeds the tissues, hardens the muscles and re-energizes the organs of the entire body. Kodol Dyspepsia Cure cures indigestion, dyspepsia, catarrh of the stomach and all stomach disorders. Sold by Ross & Clements.

DO YOU ENJOY WHAT YOU EAT?

If you don't your food does not do you any good. Kodol Dyspepsia Cure is the remedy that in any thing should take when there is any thing wrong with the stomach. There is no way to maintain the health and strength of mind and body except by nourishment. There is no way to nourish except through the stomach. No appetite, loss of strength, nervousness, headache, bad breath, sour rising, indigestion, dyspepsia and all stomach troubles are quickly cured by the use of Kodol Dyspepsia Cure. Sold by Ross & Clements.

HOT WEATHER WEAKNESS.

If you feel feagued out, listless and lacking in energy, you are perhaps suffering from the debilitating effects of summer weather. These symptoms indicate that a tonic is needed that will create a healthy appetite, make digestion perfect, regulate the bowels, and impart natural activity to the liver. This Herbine will do it. It is a tonic, laxative and restorative. H. J. Freagar, Prop. Grand View Hotel, Cheney, Kas., writes: "I have used Herbine for the last ten years, and nothing on earth can beat it. It is recommended to me by Dr. Newton, Newton, Kas." 50c at R. H. Logans.

HOUSES AND MULES.

We can use a few good work mules, orses and mares on hacks, surries and buggies. See us.

HURLBUT HARDWARE CO.

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENTS. If not, providentially hindered, I will begin a meeting at Washboard on Saturday night before the first Sunday in July; also at Fisher school house on Saturday night before the second Sunday in July. At Star on Saturday night before third Sunday in July. At Jones Valley Saturday night before the fourth Sunday in July, 1903, and at Williams Ranch Saturday night before fifth Sunday in August.

EVERYBODY IS INVITED TO COME AND TAKE PART AND HELP IN THESE MEETINGS.

Dear Christians think about these meetings, talk about them and earnestly pray the Lord's great blessings upon them. Ask great things of the Lord and expect great things from the Lord is the request of your humble missionary. J. C. THAMES.

A SERIOUS MISTAKE.

E. O. DeWitt & Co., is the name of the firm who makes the genuine Witch Hazel salve. Do Witt's is the Witch Hazel salve that heals without leaving a scar. It is a serious mistake to use any other. DeWitt's Witch Hazel salve cures blind, bleeding, itching and protruding piles, burns bruises and all skin diseases. Sold by Ross & Clements.

NEW SHOES

An immense shipment of shoes has just been opened for your inspection. Our shoe stock is now the largest in this section. We are prepared to fit any foot and at the same time save you 25c to 50c on every pair. If dissatisfied with your present shoes, see us about your next pair. We guarantee satisfaction and invite inspection and comparison.

JUST RECEIVED

50 pieces of lawn ranging in price from 10c to 25c per yard. The patterns are all extremely tasty and dainty. We also have a full line of fancy lace, applique and medallion trimmings.

Bargain and Remnant Table.

To get more room for new goods just arrived, we have to sell all broken bolts or short lengths at a discount. The goods are new and fresh but would be sold. Shrewd and economical buyer, will do well to pay us a visit.

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CHADWICK'S MILL.

There is some sickness in this part of the community at present. A little child of L. Sawyers and one of A. A. Armentrout's have been very sick, but are better at present, also Mr. Chadwick's little boy. Asa Hufstuter and family are at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sanford Hufstuter. Miss Jennie Bryan has returned home from a few days visit to her mother in Missouri. Her mother came home with her. There will be singing at Mr. Hufstuter's Sunday night. The angel of death has again visited our community, and claimed for its own our friend and neighbor, Mr. J. S. B. Smith. He departed this life June 12 and was buried the 13th. Mr. Smith was an honest, upright citizen, and was well liked by all who knew him. Was every ready to lend a helping hand to those in distress. He leaves a devoted wife and a large family of children to mourn his loss. Four sons and one daughter who are married live in Williamson county. Two sons and his daughter attended his burial, arriving too late to see their father alive. There are six sons and one daughter living at home. Mr. Smith was member of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows and was a true member of that order. He was 63 years of age and never had a doctor called for him until his last illness. He never gave up at all, but was sitting in his chair when the final summons came. They moved him to his bed but he soon expired. We extend our sincere sympathy to the bereaved ones, and point them to the great Comforter as their helper in time of trouble. A FRIEND.

FRIDDY.

Editor Eagle: I will pen you a few of the latest happenings. Recently makes good use of the dry weather and has no time to tell the news. Last Sunday night a little storm passed through our community. It blew down two wind mills for Tom Friddy, sore one up pretty bad for P. T. Willis. The grain fields look like the grain had never been shocked. Corn is blown down very bad and a good deal pulled up by the roots. Sunday. Henry Kunkle happened to a painful accident last Sunday. When the storm came up his wind mill was running. He ran out to tie it down and ran into some sharp corners and cut his foot so bad that he cannot get around.

Mrs. F. M. Grindstaff and her aunt, Mrs. Whitaker, were on the sick list this week, but are some better at present.

Mother Nieman is in bad health, but we hope to hear of her recovery soon.

Emil Nauendorf said he put muzzles on his cut worms, that was the reason they didn't eat his cotton.

Mrs. Williams and Mrs. Tate of Democrat were in our community this week.

We heard from our California boys. They are fine. They ought to be when they get from \$2 to \$3 per day. That is pretty good pay for a half day's work.

The old thrasher is buzzing in our community. I expect it seems strange to the thrashermen to find grain in this country for it is the first for several years.

You had better warn the people to look out for the JUNE BUG.

Miss Pearl Peaverly is quite sick at the residence of Mrs. Harwell.

Wheat is selling at 70 cents per bushel, while oats bring 38 1/2.

G. W. Jackson was in town yesterday buying lumber to build a new grainery.

Miss Eddie Rahl expects to go to Cleburne next week to spend some time with relatives.

County Clerk Smith issued marriage license last Saturday to R. M. Hayes and Miss Belle Egger.

Gen. Martin was here from Cold Springs last Saturday making arrangements for the coming reunion.

The trustees of the public school of Woodville, the corner seat of Tyler county, have been corresponding with Prof. T. W. Hatcher of this city with a view to securing his services as principal of their school, but Prof. Hatcher has written them that he does not care to again enter the public school service and that his school here is more satisfactory and remunerative than a public school would be. As an inducement held out to him, they say they are just completing a new school building at a cost of \$4500.

FINE HOGS.

Services of my registered Polk China, Friendship, No. 53981 can be had at the Elberta Stock Farm. Charges \$1. Wm. Hill.

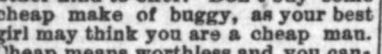
LADIES AND CHILDREN INVITED

All ladies and children who cannot stand the scorching heat of laxative syrups, cathartics, etc. are invited to try the famous Little Early Risers. They are different from all other pills. They do not purge the system. Even a double dose will not grip, weaken or sicken; many people call them the easy pill. W. H. Howell, Houston, Texas says nothing better can be used for constipation, sick headache, etc. Bob Moore, Lafayette, Ind., says all other gripes and sickness, DeWitt's Little Early Risers do their work well and easy. Sold by Ross & Clements.

TERMSHAW NOTICE.

I will start my thrasher in the South Bennett neighborhood about July 1 and will go from there to the Cowhouse country. I hope my customers and friends will have their thrashing for me. J. M. COSTLEY.

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Machinery Oil!

If you want your farm machinery to run as slick as a greased streak of lightning through a crab orchard BUY YOUR OIL AND AXLE GREASE FROM US! When it comes to axle grease, get a box of any other make and grease two wheels with it and try our brand on the other two wheels and if our's does not last longer and give better satisfaction, your money back for the empty box.



SEWING MACHINES

We are now agents for the White Sewing Machines. We also have an assortment of sewing machine needles to fit almost any machine made. Will order extras for any kind of sewing machines, it matters not whose.

EXTRAS

Parties wanting extras for McCormick Binders should get them as soon as possible, as there are some very old machines in this country and we might be short of a few items you want. We now have a general assortment of extras, but you all know that it is not necessary to carry a "LARGE" stock for McCormick machines, notwithstanding they are in the majority in Mills county. You can get these machines in either right or left hand out, the very latest up-to-date binders on earth.

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Eight-inch Crank arm is the shortest, giving greatest power and easiest operation. Twenty-eight inch feed opening with flaring hopper gives greatest capacity. A thoroughly first-class press, built to stand for the heaviest baling requiring by horse power. In use nine years and extensively operated in all haying sections. It bales hay, straw, wool, moss, excelsior, etc.

SANTA FE EXCURSIONS.

Ft. Worth - Funeral Directors and Embalmers association. Sell July 6 and 7. Limit July 11. Fare \$4.65.

College and Bryan Farmers Congress. Sell July 6 and 7. Limit July 11. Fare \$5.50.

Brownwood - Meeting Western League Shooting club. Sell July 12 and 13. Limit July 18. One and one third fare.

\$22.55 to San Francisco, Los Angeles and San Diego and return. Sell July 1 to 10. Limit August 31, 1903.

Huntsville - Sam Houston Summer Normal Institute. Sell July 3 and 4. Limit July 10. Fare \$11.20 round trip.

Nashville, Tenn. - Peabody Normal college summer school. Sell July 3 to 5, limit 15 days. One fare plus \$2.25.

Fourth of July celebration to all points on the Santa Fe. Sell 3 and 4. Limit 6. One fare plus 10 per cent.

San Antonio - Annual Meeting Texas State Bar association. Sell July 7 and 8. Limit July 11. Fare \$5.25 round trip.

Denver, Colo. - Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor. One fare plus \$2. Sell July 5, 6 and 7. Limit August 31, 1903.

San Antonio - Annual Meeting Sheriff's association of Texas. Sell July 13 and 14. Limit July 17. Fare \$5.25 round trip.

San Antonio - Meeting Knight's and Daughters of Labor. Sell July 11 and 12. Limit July 20. Fare \$5.25.

For further information apply to J. W. Burtz, Agent.

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Are received in this store every day. It is our aim to keep nothing but fresh goods and we sell at prices that are extra low.

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When our farmer friends have chickens, eggs or anything else to sell, if they will see us we will make money for them.

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This is not a gentle word—but when you think how liable you are not to purchase the only remedy universally known and a remedy that has had the largest sale of any medicine in the world since 1868 for the cure and treatment of consumption and throat and lung troubles without losing its great popularity all these years, you will be thankful we called your attention to Boschee's German Syrup. There are so many ordinary cough remedies made by druggists and others that are cheap and good for light colds perhaps, but for severe coughs, bronchitis, croup—and especially for consumption, where there is difficult expectoration and coughing during the nights and mornings, there is nothing like German Syrup. The 25 cent size has just been introduced this year. Regular size 75 cents. At all druggists.

NEW BUSINESS.

Having decided to remain at Goldthwaite, I announce to the public that I will again engage in business just as soon as I can get in my stock of merchandise, part of which is now ordered. Will occupy the glass front store on Fisher street between Ross & Clements' drug store and J. C. Evans' grocery store. You are all invited to fall and see me and find out what I have to sell. Respectfully C. D. HAMMOND.

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