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ONE DOLLAR PER YEAR. PAYABLE IN ADVANCE

## Enon School Closed.

Last Friday Prof. O. C. Goodwin closed the most successful term of school ever taught in Enon. The school was closed by a picnic on the school ground.

In the early part of the day, a large crowd of Enon people, as well as Grapeland people, gathered to enjoy the day. About eleven o'clock they were called into the school building, where a short program was carried out.

First on the program was music; then an address of welcome to all the people was delivered impressively by Mr. Herod. When Mr. Herod had finished, Prof. Goodwin presented Supt. Smith of Grapeland. He entertained the audience in a very delightful way.

After that, Prof. Goodwin arranged his pupils in a very impressive way, and gave a beautiful souvenir to each one. He said he hoped in this way to keep up a love for school in the hearts of the children. These children must have indeed had a great love for their school and teacher, for each one seemed to shed a tear of sorrow and regret as he accepted the little memento from the noble teacher. Many a parent was compelled to use his handkerchief to wipe away the tears brought forth by the strong and touching words of advice given the pupils by the teacher.

When this was over, the crowd adjourned to eat dinner. Out under the shade of the trees, a very luxurious table was spread. Mr. Hartt, of Lovelady, was called to give thanks, after which the people enjoyed a delicious dinner.

After dinner Mr. Goodwin introduced County Supt. Mangum, who spoke of the educational affairs of Houston County. Then, Mr. G. Hartt, of Lovelady, was presented. He spoke of the ambition, and what it should be, of both the old people and the children. He said "that service to his fellow-man should be one's chiefest aim in life". This seemed to have been the doctrine taught all the year by Mr. Goodwin.

### A Card

This is to certify that all druggists are authorized to refund your money if Foley's Honey and Tar fails to cure your cough or cold. It stops the cough, heats the lungs and prevents pneumonia and consumption. Contains no opiates. The genuine is in a yellow package.

Sold by A. S. Porter.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Johnson have returned to Grapeland from Yoakum, where they have been for the past year.

### Do It Now!

Now is the time to get rid of your rheumatism. You can do so by applying Chamberlain's Liniment. Nine cases out of ten are simply muscular rheumatism due to cold or damp or chronic rheumatism, and yield to the vigorous application of this liniment. Try it. You are certain to be delighted with the quick relief which it affords. Sold by

D. N. Leaverton

Miss Eleanor Granbury of Cabot, Ark., is here on a visit to her brother, W. D. Granbury.

## Trinity River Ripples.

Reynard, Texas, May 24. The rain Thursday night was general throughout this section, but was heavier in some places than others. Some say we have had enough for the present but we have had so little rain this spring it will not stand long.

Some corn is laid by and most all are ready to lay by. Cotton chopping is about half through. Potato digging will begin today.

T. S. Kent moved some of his cotton last week.

Our picnic is a thing of the past and all had a nice time without any casualties, except G. B. Kent had to be helped up from the dinner table.

The young folks, and some of the older one, too, enjoyed an entertainment at Mr. and Mrs. W. F. West's that night and had good music by a large graphophone and J. L. Chiles and C. H. Beazley made some old time music on violons. Miss Harris also rendered some nice selections on the organ. The colored folk on the bank farm said they did not know there was so many white folks in the country. Those present from a distance were Mrs. T. F. Dailey and children, Henry and Smith Dailey, Stovall White and Miss Mary Pennington.

Miss Leoti Kent left Saturday for Galveston to attend the graduating exercises of her cousin, Dr. Chas. Hill.

Miss Harris went to her old home at Lovelady Saturday.

T. S. Kent has made his baby daughter a present of a nice piano.

Mrs. J. R. Rials has been confined to her room for several days. Bad colds and fevers seem to be an epidemic.

Everybody in this whole country has had whooping cough except Nugent Beazley, and he has been exposed.

Our school will last until June 4th. Zack.

### Rev. I. W. Williamson's Letter.

Rev. I. W. Williamson Huntington, W. Va., writes:

"This is to certify that I used Foley's Kidney Remedy for nervous exhaustion and kidney trouble and am free to say that it will do all that you claim for it. Foley's Kidney Remedy has restored health and strength to thousands of weak, run-down people. Contains no harmful drugs and pleasant to take.

Sold by A. S. Porter.

### League Program

For Sunday May 30.

Song by league.

Opening prayer.

Roll called by Secretary.

Song by league.

Leader—Miss Anabel Davis.

Subject of lesson, "The modern Pentecost in Korea and in other mission fields". Joel 2, 28-32; Acts 10, 34-48.

Lesson discussed by members of league.

Song by league.

Reading—Korea as a mission field. By Carnie Murchison. Benediction.

For a burn or scald apply Chamberlain's Salve. It will allay the pain almost instantly and quickly heal the injured parts. For sale by D. N. Leaverton.

## For Your Good Health,

Clean up! Get rid of bed bugs, fleas, flies and mosquitoes!

Rid your Stock and Poultry of all kinds of pests.

You can get nothing which will go so far and answer so many purposes in your home or on your farm as

**KRESO AND KRESO DIP**

Antiseptic and Disinfectant

Ask PORTER, The Druggist, about it

### In Cupid's Realm.

A pretty home wedding was solemnized Sunday night when Mr. Byron Allen led to the Hymenial altar Miss Ida Lee Woodard, daughter of Dr. F. C. Woodard. Rev. T. N. Mainer of Lovelady said the words that made them man and wife. After the ceremony a nice supper was served in courses, and when the call was made for toasts many responded expressing their good wishes for the future welfare and happiness of Mr. and Mrs. Allen.

The groom is the oldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Allen, and has many friends here. For the past year or two he has been employed as operator and is now at Spring with the I & G. N. at which place he and his young wife will make their home.

Byron is to be congratulated for the wise choice he has made in selecting a helpmeet for this life. Miss Ida Lee is one of our most popular young ladies, and enjoys the friendship of a large number of people. We extend to them our very best wishes for a long and happy life.

On Sunday afternoon another wedding took place a few miles east of town. Mr. Lewis Story and Miss Pallie Green were married at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Green. They will make their home near Crockett. We join their friends in best wishes.

### Chamberlain's Liniment

This is a new preparation and a good one. It is especially valuable as a cure for chronic and muscular rheumatism, and for the relief from which it affords in acute inflammatory rheumatism. Those who have used it have invariably spoken of it in the highest terms of praise. Lame back, lame shoulder and stiff neck are due to rheumatism of the muscles, usually brought on by exposure to cold or damp, and are quickly cured by applying this liniment freely and massaging the affected parts. Soreness of the muscles, whether induced by violent exercise or injury, is allayed by this liniment. For sale by D. N. Leaverton.

Another good slow rain fell Tuesday afternoon, thoroughly soaking the ground. Just at present the prospects for a good crop are better than we have had for years.

## BORDAUX. REGISTER NO. 50042

DESCRIPTION—Bordaux is a fine black Jack, stands 15 hands high, has white points on nose, with white belly; was foaled on the 13th day of June 1902; he is registered in the American Jack Association and has a fine pedigree.

Season fee.....\$10.00

Will stand at my place, formerly the C. W. Simpson, place, 7 miles N.W. of Grapeland

**A. K. FRETZ, Owner.**

# Think It Over

## Do Your Clothes Need Cleaning and Pressing?

Why you should have your Clothes Cleaned and Pressed, your Alterations made and your orders taken at a first-class tailor shop.

BECAUSE we are strong on styles and patterns.

BECAUSE we are strong on the make and strong on the guarantee that goes with every I order or clean and press.

## Odell Faris.

Jim Rhines, one of the employees of the Edington show was arrested Tuesday for carrying a pistol. County attorney Earl Adams came up and an examining trial was held in Squire Davis office. Rhines was turned loose because he plead that he was carrying the pistol to the blacksmith shop to have it repaired. Mr. Gulce, the blacksmith, testified that he had brought the pistol to his place for that purpose.

Roy Bruton returned Wednesday from Porter Springs where he had been for a few days.

### ABSTRACTS

You cannot sell your land without an abstract showing perfect title. Why not have your lands abstracted and your titles perfected? We have the only complete, up-to-date abstract of the land titles of Houston county.

**ADAMS & YOUNG**  
Crockett, Texas

The best tobacco on earth is Ram's Horn. At Faris'.

If you want your LAUNDRY fixed up in FIRST-CLASS shape bring it to the Barber Shop. PRICES are always RIGHT.  
J. W. CASKEY.

## Grapeland Messenger

ALBERT H. LUKER, EDITOR.

SUBSCRIPTION—IN ADVANCE:  
 ONE YEAR.....\$1.00  
 SIX MONTHS.....50 CENTS  
 THREE MONTHS.....25 CENTS

Entered in the Postoffice at Grapeland, Texas, every Thursday as second class Mail Matter.

### A PECULIAR BRAND OF PHILANTHROPY.

In these days of "brass band and box car letters" philanthropy is refreshing to encounter the variety that fulfills the Biblical injunction by keeping the right hand in ignorance of the doings of the left hand and vice versa. A dramatic case in point is that of George F. H. Schrader, of Hartsdale, N. Y. Mr. Schrader has given half a million dollars to be used in the erection and equipment of a rest home and school for indigent mothers, or mothers of uncertain sources or income.

Naturally, the trustees of the institution felt the opening of the institution should be made the occasion of demonstrating to the benefactor the esteem and gratitude in which he was held. To that end, they planned a monster house-warming, issuing invitations to 300 guests.

Some one desired to consult Mr. Schrader with regard to a detail of the arrangements and a still hunt was instituted for him. After ransacking his usual haunts and the environs of New York, it was discovered that his characteristic modesty had moved him at the eleventh hour to flee to Europe, in an effort to escape an inundation of lip service and mechanical praise.

This is one man whose philanthropic motives will not be subjected to cynical or skeptical analysis.—Atlanta Constitution.

Last Friday we were in Augusta and while in conversation with Charley Kennedy, formerly of that place, but now of Grapeland, in the mercantile business under the firm name of Kennedy Bros., we asked him how his business was. He said: "Our business is good and we are getting along nicely. Of course our expenses are higher than they were in Augusta on account of rents, etc. We also spend a great deal of money for advertising in the Grapeland Messenger but we get good returns therefrom, for there is no question but what advertising, judiciously done, pays consequently spent in that way is not an expense, but an investment." "No doubt it pays," is a common verdict by every advertiser these days who does it in a systematic and every "issue" way. The Herald has numbers of customers who make advertising contracts by the year and give as much thought to that department as any other—Houston County Herald.

Kennedy Bros. are doing a good business and since January 1, when they opened up, their name has constantly appeared in the Messenger. They have told us a number of times that the best money they ever spent was for Messenger advertising.

A good rain has blessed the Grapeland Country and everything looks lovely. We can now say "we told you so."

The people of west Texas had a good rain last week—the first in six months. Don't you know they were dry!

### Tom Lipscomb Found Dead.

Palestine, Texas, May 25, The body of Tom Lipscomb was found at his home eight miles from here by his family on returning from a fishing trip. A twenty two-caliber target rifle was lying across the body.

Justice Albert Douthitt of Elkhart held the inquest, but reserved a verdict pending further investigation. Deceased was in Palestine Saturday.

R. T. Kent of Crockett was in Grapeland Wednesday.

H. H. Rogers, of Standard Oil fame, died last week from apoplexy.

Prof. Wade L. Smith left for his home at Prosper Saturday night. He will return sometime in August.

Freshest flour in town. Cheap as any, better than many. Sold and guaranteed by Anthony & Alsop.

We are requested to announce that a singing convention will be held at Elkhart the first Sunday in June. Everybody is invited.

Mrs. S. E. Miller and little Josephine and Miss Loraine Hanson left Monday for Mineral Wells to spend a few weeks. Mr. Miller accompanied them to Palestine.

Dudley Eaves came in Saturday night from Coke county where he has been teaching school. He will leave the latter part of the week for Huntsville to attend the summer normal.

The singing at the Christian church Sunday afternoon conducted by Mr. W. R. Campbell was enjoyed by a large crowd. The class was largely composed of young people from Elkhart.

## HERBINE

### What Is It?

A Positive Cure For BILIOUSNESS, CONSTIPATION, DYSPEPSIA, MALARIA, CHILLS AND FEVER AND ALL LIVER COMPLAINTS.

Mr. Coakley Evans, Registered Pharmacist, Jewett, Texas, writes:—"I recommended Herbine for a child that had chills and a general debilitated system, and who had tried nearly everything except Herbine. It quickly cured the child and the family now keeps Herbine all the time. They recommend it to others and from that have built up a good trade on it. I believe it is the best substitute for calomel I know of."

Price 50 Cents per Bottle. BALLARD SNOW LINIMENT CO. ST. LOUIS, MO.

Also Sold and Recommended by C. S. A. S. PORTER

### FIRE AND TORNADO INSURANCE

Written in strong companies at such a low rate that no property owner can afford to be without it. Call at once on

Murchison & Darsey Resident Agents

## Buy The Best BALLARD'S SNOW LINIMENT

Always makes a hit when used for RHEUMATISM, SPRAINS, CUTS, WOUNDS, BURNS, STIFF JOINTS, CORNS, BUNIONS, ETC.,

Price, 25c, 50c and \$1.00 BALLARD SNOW LINIMENT CO. ST. LOUIS, MISSOURI. Also Sold and Recommended by C. S. A. S. PORTER

# Summer Specials

In Figured and White Lawns, White and Brown Linens, Mercerized Plissie, Chamrack Cloth, Ladies' Vests, Parasols, Ladies' Belts, Embroidery, Lace, Gloves and Ladies' Hats.

The business we do in this line is BEST PROOF that our goods are of the BEST QUALITY and the PRICES PLEASE our Customers. Our line of Gents' Shirts, Soft Bosom Shirts and Undershirts is complete. Our SHOE DEPARTMENT is also complete. It is a WELL KNOWN FACT that we handle one of the best lines of Shoes in the county. We are PROUD of our Shoes because they give our customers entire SATISFACTION.

Buy your GROCERIES from us. They are FRESH and first quality. We have installed the McCaskey System in our store to gain friends. It guarantees ABSOLUTE CORRECTNESS.

Come in to see us when you come to town. Bring your Chickens and Eggs along with you. Buy your goods from us and be happy.

## F. A. Faris.

Grapeland, Texas

# FOLEY'S KIDNEY CURE

Will cure any case of Kidney or Bladder Disease not beyond the reach of medicine. No medicine can do more.

Sold by A. S. Porter, the Druggist.

Cures Backache

Corrects

Irregularities

Do not risk having

Bright's Disease

or Diabetes

### Snow in Texas.

Armirillo, Tex., May 25.—A windstorm that amounted to almost a tornado struck Stratford yesterday afternoon and together with the hailstorm that accompanied it, did considerable damage to growing crops. The storm started three miles east of Stratford and traveled northwest. No fatalities are reported. Snow fell at Texline and thirty miles east during the storm. At Guyton and Texhoma the hail was severe. At Dalhart the coldest weather for several years at this season of the year is reported. Rock Island trains from the west are delayed on account of the storm.

### Sentence Sermons

No man is well occupied who is too busy to sympathize.

The shortest cut to heaven is lifting some one out of hell.

A man never has any more religion than his children can find out.

You never make a mistake in giving where you give part of yourself.

The man who follows his appetite expects his wife to follow his ideals.—Ex.

A correspondent in the Houston Post suggests that no taxes be assessed on farm improvements but that improved and unimproved farm lands be rendered at the same price, thus encouraging the building of good homes and out-houses and the installing of modern conveniences on the farms. This may sound too much like the single tax theory to suit some

CIGARS

TOILET SOAP

# SELF PROOF Dispels Doubt

Come and see our new line of DRUGS, TOILET ARTICLES, SUNDRIES and GOOD CIGARS. We are always ready to show you what we have.

Prescription Work a Specialty

## D. N. Leaverton.

Office of Dr. F. C. Woodard.

STATIONERY SICK ROOM SUPPLIES BASEBALL GOODS

people, but it is said to be in actual practice in some parts of Canada, where the plan is growing in public favor.—Weatherford Democrat.

### KILL THE COUGH AND CURE THE LUNGS

WITH Dr. King's New Discovery FOR COUGHS AND ALL THROAT AND LUNG TROUBLES. GUARANTEED SATISFACTORY OR MONEY REFUNDED.

## EIGHTY YEARS OLD ENJOYS GOOD HEALTH

SALT LAKE CITY UTAH.—Mrs. J. H. McNeal after attaining the ripe old age of four score years, writes the following letter for the benefit of the younger generations. "I am eighty years old and thank Ballard's Horehound Syrup for having cured me of coughs, colds and similar diseases. We are all exposed at times to coughs, colds, bronchitis and other pulmonary diseases and should be glad to know the best remedy. Ballard's Horehound Syrup can be given to babies as well as adults. Try a small bottle at first and after that buy the larger bottles, which are cheaper in proportion." Ballard Snow Liniment Co., St. Louis, Mo. Price 25c, 50c and \$1.00 Sold and recommended by

A. S. PORTER

# At the Blacksmith Shop.

I Have Just Received a Nice Line of  
Buggies in Auto Seats, Stick Seats and Panel Seats and  
Top Buggies. I have a nice line of Harness  
just in. See me for Harness

I Personally GUARANTEE Every BUGGY that I Sell  
Come to See me if you need a Buggy or set of Harness.

Will keep a stock on hand all the time and  
WILL TREAT YOU RIGHT.

WILL HAVE A CAR OF BUGGIES TO ARRIVE SOON. WAIT FOR THEM.

## A. B. GUICE

### SYSTEM IN BUSINESS.

Accuracy in business trans-  
actions insures success. With  
the assistance of this bank you  
are given every means to keep  
your financial matters straight.

By a close connection with  
this bank, you learn meth-  
ods of accuracy which will be a  
great help in money matters.

For instance, a bank account  
will give you a systematic rec-  
ord of all transactions—an ac-  
count of all receipts and ex-  
penditures.

We'll be glad to furnish you  
our services and co-operation  
for your business. Call at the  
bank for further explanation.

FARMERS AND MERCHANT STATE BANK,  
GRAPELAND, TEXAS

#### LOCAL NEWS.

Ice Cream Freezers at Darsey's

Josiah Caskey is at Elkhart  
this week doing some painting.

FOR SALE OR RENT.—My  
gin in Grapeland. See J.J. Brooks.

Bob Wherry is spending the  
week at Oakland with his uncle.

Bring the old hat to the Bon  
Ton and have it made new.

For dress goods to suit the sea-  
son see Faris.

Plenty of bacon, hams and  
lard at Kennedy Bros.

Buy your soft bosom shirts  
with collars from F. A. Faris.

Kandy Kid ice cream at the  
Bon Ton.

Groves', Oxidine and Hall's  
chill cure at Darsey's.

Don't forget the place to buy  
shoes—Kennedy Bros.

Porter has plenty of Paris  
Green and London Purple.

For wagons, Sewing Machines  
and Cooking Stoves see Darsey.

Leave your laundry at the Bon  
Ton. All work guaranteed.

All heart well curbing for sale  
at Darsey's.

All the cold drinks of the sea-  
son at the Bon Ton.

Stone well curbing in 2 1/2 foot  
joints at Darsey's

Waggon, Sewing Machines,  
and Stoves for cash or easy pay-  
ments at Geo. E. Darsey's.

See the overalls at F. A. Faris'.  
Cyrus W. Scott Level Best, un-  
ion made to last.

Pay Hard Cash  
L. Clewis wants all kinds of

in your speckle peas as  
still in the market for them  
Darsey.

ing in fishing tackle  
hook to a trot line or  
unbo pole.  
Porter, the druggist.

Post cards—the latest kind at  
the Bon Ton.

Window shades of all kinds at  
Kennedy Bros.

For overalls and pants call at  
Howard's.

All kinds of base ball goods—  
Porter.

The Bon Ton is still head-  
quarters for picnic supplies.

A beautiful line of Croquet sets  
at Darsey's.

Fresh chocolate every 10 days  
at the Bon Ton.

Take your chickens, eggs, and  
hides to Geo. E. Darsey and get  
top prices.

Flour keeps advancing, but  
buy from F. A. Faris and save  
money.

If it's anything in Furniture,  
Mattresses, bed springs or matting  
you will find it at Darsey's.

For groceries call at Howard's.  
We buy the best and satisfaction  
guaranteed. S. E. Howard.

Go to Darsey's for your Fishing  
poles, wooden minnows, lines,  
hooks and trot lines.

For an easy shave buy a guar-  
anteed dollar Shumate razor at  
Howard's.

Darsey's Ice Cream freezers  
are tripple action which is nec-  
essary to make good cream in  
the shortest time.

For men's patent leather low  
quarter shoes, gun metal shoes,  
valour's calf shoes, kid shoes, tan  
shoes, or any kind of shoes, go  
to F. A. Faris—the shoe man.

We are showing some very  
pretty 17 inch corset cover and  
flouncing embroidery for 20c  
per yard. Darsey's Dry Goods  
Store.

#### FOR SALE

1 Studebaker wagon, 1 Moline  
wagon, 1 iron axle hack, 1 steel  
lister of middle splitter. The  
above are second-hand, but are in  
good order. Will sell or trade for  
live stock. J. E. Spence, R. F.  
D. No. 4, Grapeland, Texas.

Mrs. Bettie Richards visited in  
Crockett this week.

Dr. C. L. Moore and wife left  
last week for Lovelady.

Are you going camping? Go  
to Kennedy Bros for your cots.

If you drink coffee we can sat-  
isfy you. Try us for the best.  
S. E. Howard.

17-inch corset cover and flounc-  
ing embroidery from 20c up at  
Darsey's Dry Goods Store.

Have you tried Kandy Kid  
cream? The best yet. The Bon  
Ton.

Bring us your eggs and get  
the top price for them.  
Kennedy Bros.

Mrs. D. N. Leaverton and child-  
ren are spending the week at La-  
texo.

Kennedy Bros. are today un-  
loading a car of fresh meal, flour  
and bran.

A large crowd of our citizens  
are on the Trinity this week hunt-  
ing and fishing.

Edgar Brooks left Sunday for  
Tyler to complete a course in the  
Tyler Commercial College.

Curb your well before it is too  
late. Darsey has plenty of well  
curbing in the stone and all heart  
pine.

A car of watermelons was  
shipped from Kingsville to El-  
Paso Monday.

Bring all your cow hides, mink  
and coon hides to M. L. Clewis  
and get the highest market price  
for them.

Jewell and Morris Alexander of  
Lovelady attended the Allen-  
Woodard wedding Sunday night.

NOTICE to potato growers: We  
have just received a big shipment  
of potato bags. See us before  
you buy. Geo. E. Darsey.

Mr. Ed. Darsey and son Lee  
left last week for Marlin to spend  
several days for Lee's health.

F. A. Faris has the shoes for  
you. Quality is his hobby.  
Prices \$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.75, \$2.00,  
\$2.50, \$3.00, \$3.50, \$4.00, \$5.00.

Here is just a few of the many  
BARGAINS offered you at  
WHERRY'S:

Men's work shirts.....20c  
Men's heavy overalls.....75c  
2 bottles Garrett snuff.....45c  
Brown Mule tobacco, per lb....35c  
3 1/2 lbs. Arm & Hammer soda..25c  
4 lbs. lump starch.....25c  
7 lbs. best roasted coffee...\$1.00  
And a host of other things  
cheaper than the cheapest.  
Dress shirts a specialty.  
W. R. WHERRY.

## MONEY TO LOAN

We Handle Real Estate.

If you want to buy or sell a farm or borrow money on  
it, call on us. We buy Vendors Lien Notes.

### WARFIELD BROS.

Office North Side Public Square

CROCKETT, TEXAS



TOMBSTONES MADE IN ANY  
DESIGN, ALMOST ANY PRICE

#### Monuments and Tombstones.

I have received my new  
design book and marble  
samples from the Humbolt  
Marble Works—the best  
concern of its kind in the  
south. Let me figure with  
you when you need any-  
thing in this line.

L. Q. Browning,  
Grapeland, Texas

THE KING OF CURES

DR. KING'S

## NEW DISCOVERY

FOR COUGHS AND COLDS.  
FOR WEAK, SORE LUNGS, ASTHMA,  
BRONCHITIS, HEMORRHAGES  
AND ALL  
THROAT AND LUNG  
DISEASES.  
PREVENTS PNEUMONIA

I regard Dr. King's New Discovery as the grandest medicine of  
modern times. One bottle completely cured me of a very bad  
cough, which was steadily growing worse under other treatments.  
EARL SHAMBURG, Codell, Kas.

PRICE 50c AND \$1.00

SOLD AND GUARANTEED BY

### A TRUE BOWEL CLEANSER

A remedy that purifies the bowels mildly  
yet thoroughly, strengthens the bowel  
channels and promotes regularity.

### PRICKLY ASH BITTERS

Is an effective system regulator and bowel  
tonic. Persons of a constipated habit find  
it to be just what they need to re-establish  
regular bowel movements and to correct the  
evil effects of the disorder in the skin and  
blood. It drives out the impurities that  
have accumulated in the system. Removes  
sallowiness, bad breath, pimples, skin eruptions,  
and restores the ruddy hue of health to  
the complexion.

Get the Genuine with the Figure "3" in Red  
on Front Label.  
Price \$1.00 per Bottle.



Many weak, nervous women  
have been restored to health by  
Foley's kidney remedy as it stim-  
ulates the kidneys so they will  
eliminate the waste matter from  
the blood. Impurities depress the  
nerves, causing nervous exhaus-  
tion and other ailments. Com-  
mence today and you will soon  
be well. Pleasant to take.  
Sold by A. S. Porter

We had the pleasure of meet-  
ing Prof. G. Hart of Lovelady  
last Friday afternoon. He had  
been out to the picnic at Enon to  
deliver an address.

50 YEARS' EXPERIENCE

## PATENTS

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dealers. Price 10 cents. Huns & Co., 301 Broadway,  
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FOLEY'S KIDNEY-TAR  
Cures Colds, Prevents Pneumonia



## Hurrah for Captain Kidd!

Not the Pirate, but the Boys' Suit by that name.

It's the best Boys' Suit that you can get, better in fashion, better in making and sold at a more reasonable price.

We are now showing the new spring line.

Mothers who wish the sort of clothes which will withstand boys' usual abuses will do well to call and permit us to demonstrate the attractiveness of CAPTAIN KIDD Suits.

## Darsey's D. G. Store

Grapeland, ; ; ; Texas.

### News at Crockett.

Crockett, Texas, May 24. We had a nice rain here last week which reached nearly every neighborhood in the county, though a few did not get any. Where they have had rain the corn is looking fine, cotton is also looking well, so the future is looking prosperous just now.

Miss Maggie Foster gave a recital for her music class at the residence of her father last week, it being the close of her term. The members of her class rendered the pieces in a most excellent manner and elicited much applause from the audience.

The Ladies Aid Society of the Christian church have bought a new carpet for the church. They painted the floor this week and will put the carpet down next week. We had no services last Sunday on account of repairs going on, so most all attended the Baptist Sunday school, who received them with a hearty welcome and made them feel at home.

J. A. Arnold of the Christian church will preach at Reynard next Sunday we understand.

Last Monday a most deplorable killing occurred at Creek when Mr. R. C. Barbee was killed. The whole thing was uncalled for and occurred over a calf not worth more than \$3.00. Mell Elliott and Mr. Barbee had a difference over the calf both claiming it, when they agreed to leave it to arbitration. The arbitrators, as report has it, gave the calf to Barbee. The Elliotts — Mell and his brother — rode up to Barbee's house and demanded the calf, when they shot Barbee and killed him. The exact particulars as to what occurred at the house is not known. The Elliotts were brought here by Sheriff Lacy and placed in jail. They have waived the examining trial and will remain in jail until the grand jury meets.

Miss Florence Keen who has been teaching at Houston Heights is in town visiting her sister Mrs. L. Meriwether.

Mrs. Dr. Brown and Mrs. Estelle Wootters attended a reception given by Mr. and Mrs. Buck Waller at their home six miles west of Crockett in honor of Mr. Louis Story's marriage and report a pleasant time. Rex.

We are showing the prettiest ankle strap pump slippers in ox blood to be found anywhere at \$2.00. Darsey's D. G. Store.

### A Smile

is pretty hard thing to accomplish when you're blue, bilious and out of sorts. There is a sure cure for all kinds of stomach and liver complaints—constipation and dyspepsia. Ballard's Herbina is mild, yet absolutely effective in all cases.

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### To my Friends and Patrons

I take this method to inform you that my prolonged absence has been due to sickness in my family, hence I could not possibly visit Grapeland. Watch the paper for future announcements.  
C. C. Starling, Dentist.

If you desire a clear complexion take Foley's Orino Laxative for constipation and liver trouble as it will stimulate these organs and thoroughly cleanse your system, which is what everyone needs in the spring in order to feel well.  
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Sprinkle a little Instant Louse Killer in the hen nests and mites and fleas vanish.

Result: Healthy chicks and more of them. Ask Porter, the druggist.

If you have never tried Bermuda hay you ought to try it. It is fine. Darsey has a few tons left which you can buy at 60cts a bale.

If you want to feel well, look well and be well take Foley's Kidney Remedy. It tones up the kidneys and bladder, purifies the blood and restores health and strength. Pleasant to take and contains no harmful drugs. Why not commence today?  
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Mr. J. R. Richards has charge of our coffin department and will wait on you day or night.  
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### NOTICE TO PUBLIC:

Salmon postoffice will commence money order business June 1, 1909.

M. D. Salmon, P. M.

Miss Maude McCarty has returned home from Crockett where she has been visiting relatives.

### Attention, Confederate Veterans.

The Commander of Crockett Camp No. 141 has issued special order No. 10 calling together the veterans in annual reunion at Crockett on the second day of June for the purpose of transacting all business pertaining to the affairs of the camp on that day, so as to be guests of the Daughters of the Confederacy next day. All Confederate soldiers living in north Houston county are requested to meet us at the depot on June 2 prepared to go to Crockett on the 11:30 train.

J. F. Martin, F. C. Woodard, J. N. Parker, Jno. Brown, Jas. T. Keen, E. G. Pennington, R. J. Weisinger, J. M. Johnston, W. D. Taylor, F. H. Parker, G. A. Brimbery, J. A. Spruill. E. H. Darsey.

### Excursion Rates To Memphis Tenn

Account 19th Annual Reunion U. C. V. at Memphis, Tenn. June 8-15; very low excursion rates have been authorized.

For full particulars regarding rates; through cars, and special train services; see Ticket Agents I & G N R. R., or address D. J. Price G. P. & T. A. Palestine, Texas.

### Mrs. McCann Guice Dead.

Coleman, Texas, May 18.—Mrs. M. A. McCann Guice departed this life May 14, at 5 o'clock p. m. after a short illness. She was with us just one week and all that loving hearts and willing hands could do was done but to no avail. She was 67 years of age, a conservative christian and loved by all who knew her. She was laid to rest in the Coleman cemetery. R. S. Garrett.

There's so much sorrow in the world that it's hard to be happy if you allow the troubles of others to trouble you.—McGregor Mirror. —The complete knock-out blow comes when you allow your own troubles to trouble you.—Timpson Times.

The school boys romped on the Oakgrove ball team last Thursday at the Parker reunion. The score was 13 to 7. The boys have played five games and won four, which is a good record.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bass and little son of Ft Worth visited the family of Dr. F. C. Woodard this and last week.

### A Happy Father

is soon turned to a sad one if he has to walk the floor every night with a crying baby. McGee's Baby Elixir will make the child well,—soothe its nerves, induce healthy, normal slumber. Best for disordered bowels and sore stomach—all teething babies need it. Pleasant to take, sure, and safe, contains no harmful drugs. Price 25 and 50 cents per bottle.

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In the checker games Tuesday at the residence of Dr. W. D. McCarty the following participated: Mr. Thomas of Oakhurst; Mr. Harkin of Saron; Mr. M. McCarty of Porter Springs; Mr. Langston of Crockett; J. M. Johnson and W. D. McCarty of Grapeland. Following are the scores: Thomas and Langston 18 each, 10 draws; Thomas 19, W. D. McCarty 5, 1 draw; Thomas 4, Harkin 5, 11 draw; Harkin and W. D. McCarty 15 each, 11 draw; Harkin and Langston 15 each, 5 draw; Langston and W. D. McCarty 20 each, 2 draw; Johnson 10, M. McCarty 6, 1 draw; Johnson and W. D. McCarty 8 each, 1 draw.

### Biliousness and Constipation

For years I was troubled with biliousness and constipation, which made life miserable for me. My appetite failed me. I lost my usual force and vitality. Pepsin preparations and cathartics only made matters worse. I do not know where I should have been today had I not tried Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. The tablets relieve the ill feeling at once, strengthen the digestive functions, purify the stomach, liver and blood, helping the system to do its work naturally.—Mrs. Rosa Potts, Birmingham, Ala. These tablets are for sale by D. N. Leaverton.

Wylie Caskey, Herod Parker and Stokes Pelham went to Crockett last Friday to witness the double header game between Crockett and Groveton. Crockett took both games, first game 4 to 0; second game 13 to 3. The game on Thursday was also a victory for Crockett by a score of 4 to 1.

### Whooping Cough.

This is a more dangerous disease than is generally presumed. It will be a surprise to many to learn that more deaths result from it than from scarlet fever. Pneumonia often results from it. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy has been used in many epidemics of whooping cough, and always with best results. Delbert McKeig of Harlan, Iowa, says of it: "My boy took whooping cough when nine months old. He had it in the winter. I got a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy which proved good. I cannot recommend it too highly. For sale by D. N. Leaverton.

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