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A Letter from Albert Tyer.

Joliet Ill, July 26. Editor Messenger, and Many Readers. Ottawa, Illinois, is a little town of about fifteen thousand and is a real pretty town and there are a great many things there that are very interesting. One of them is a city park of about four acres, and in this park is a very large rock and on this rock is a brass slab about sixteen by twenty inches, and on this slab or tablet is this inscription, "This tablet marks the site of the first Lincoln and Douglas debate of August 24 1858." It may be that everyone would not experience the same sense of feeling that I did when I learned that right there these great men stood and made their grand speeches that have gone down in history, but I felt that a visit to that park and to read that sentence on that slab was not lost time.

It was at Ottawa that I had the pleasure of going into the only plate glass mill that I ever have been in. To make glass such as is used for house fronts, mirrors shelf glass and in fact all plain glass it is made this way, at this mill. They use tubs or buckets that are about thirty inches in diameter and about two feet deep and made of a certain kind of clay. The tub is filled nearly full of sand of a certain kind and they are put in furnaces that will hold forty of these tubs, the fire is started, they burn coke, and in eight or ten hours this sand is melted, then they have a machine that is made for the purpose of reaching in there and taking those tubs of melted sand out, and when they are out of the furnace, the first thing they do is to skim the top off with paddles made of steel. That tub and the sand melted is now to a white heat, this skimming is now in a fluid state and

ABSTRACTS

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Crockett, Texas

In the Cotton Seed Market.

I will be in the Market again this fall for Cotton Seed, and will be glad to serve my old customers again, and others who have seed to sell. Your business will be appreciated.

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WILL BE
PAID.

Ed. Harmon,
Grapeland, Texas.

about as thick as home made candy when it is just ready to pull. Now they take the remainder that is in the tub by means of another machine and pour it out at one end of a steel table that is about sixteen feet wide and twenty feet long then there is a steel roller that is about twelve inches in diameter and as long as the table is wide and each end rests on pieces that are adjustable. This roller is so arranged that it rolls that pile of melted glass out $\frac{1}{4}$ or $\frac{1}{2}$ inch thick as may be required, just as a cook rolls out dough for cooking pastry. Then there is a man there who understands the business, and he watches that sheet of white hot glass that now covers the table, and when it begins to turn a little purple in color he gives the word, and in a very short time, not more than three seconds, that sheet of glass is pushed into another furnace, after it stays there a few minutes it is pushed into another furnace not quite so hot, and on and on it goes from one furnace to another, the cool air never getting to it, until at last it comes out cool enough to be handled with the hands. Now it goes to the polishing tables and there it is ground smooth and cut up to the required size, be that what it may.

These tubs cost about forty dollars each and sometimes when they are drawn out of the furnace full of melted glass the cold air strikes them they will break, or crack open, and not only lose the tub but the glass as well, and there is no way to mend one of them when once it breaks. With best wishes for the Messenger and its many readers I beg to remain, Yours very truly,

H. A. Tyer.

Disagreeable at Home.

Lots of men and women who are agreeable with others get "cranky" at home. Its not disposition, its the liver. If you find in yourself that you feel cross around the house, little things worry you, just buy a bottle of Ballard's Herbine and put your liver in shape. You and everybody around you will feel better for it. Price 50c per bottle. Sold by A. S. Porter.

Good News for Gin Men.

You will find at Darsey's a full line of belting, machine oil, cylinder oil, lace leather, babbit metal, gum and hemp packing, oil cans and plenty of full weight 2 1/4 lb. bagging and ties. See us for prices.

Cholera Infantum Cured.

"Something like two years ago my baby, which was then about one year old, was taken seriously ill with cholera infantum, vomiting and purging profusely, writes J. F. Dempsey of Dempsey, Ala. I did what I could to relieve her, but did her no good, and being very much alarmed about her went for a physician but failed to find one, so came back by Elder Bros. & Carter's store and Mr. Elder recommended Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. I procured a bottle of it, went home as quickly as possible and gave the baby a dose of the remedy. It relieved her in fifteen minutes and soon cured her entirely." For sale by D. N. Leaverton.

Hays Spring News.

Hays Spring, Aug. 1st.—I believe the health of our community is very good at this date. Hot dry weather and mosquitoes is the order of the day in this part now, although the west portion of our neighborhood was lucky enough to get a good rain a few days ago but the ground being so very dry it was soon gone.

The evidence is about all in concerning the cotton crop in this section, and I am sure the crop will be very short. But the price of cotton is climbing up about right now and from present reports we look for higher prices. We think things are getting nearer right now as we think we should raise less cotton and get a good price for it. Rev. A. L. Carnes closed a very successful meeting at Hays Spring Sunday night. The meeting had continued several days. The interest was greater than had been for several years, and 12 members were taken in the church. We hope the good accomplished in our community will be of long duration.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Clark returned last Monday from Malicoff where they had spent a week visiting relatives. C. A. Story is visiting relatives in the Wesleys Chappel community today. Miss Netty Briant of Leon County has been visiting relatives and friends in our community the past two weeks. There is some talk of a new school house building being erected in our community in the near future. This is badly needed and we hope it will prove to be facts and not hot air. Julius.

Intense Colicky Pains Relieved.

"For some years I suffered from intense colicky pains which would come on at times and from which I could find no relief," says I. S. Mason, of Beaver Dam, Ky. "Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy was recommended to me by a friend. After taking a few doses of the remedy I was entirely relieved. That was four years ago and there has been no return of the symptoms since that time." This remedy is for sale by

D. N. Leaverton.

Very Flattering.

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er in half the time and at half the cost required by other schools teaching other systems. This is a great saving of time and expense to any student. In our Telegraphy department, we have the Cotton Belt Train Wire, all station blanks and record books, all Western Union Supplies, something not found in any other school of telegraphy. In the second place, this institution is managed by successful business men; we own our buildings, have them equipped with over \$19,000 worth of furniture and supplies. We employ the best teaching system to be had; our school is so large that we can classify and systematize our work far beyond the possibilities of a small school. We have won a reputation for placing our graduates with responsible firms, at good salaries, with good promotion ahead. We long ago learned that the success of our institution depended upon the success of our graduates, so it is our first aim to see that the student is thoroughly qualified; our second aim is to see that he has the very best position that we can obtain for him. His excellent work, his financial success, recommends our school to his friends. Write for 188 page catalog, giving full particulars of America's largest school of Bookkeeping, Shorthand, and Telegraphy. Tyler Commercial College, Tyler Texas.

What is best for Indigestion.

Mr. A. Robinson of Drumquin, Ontario, has been troubled for years with indigestion, and recommends Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets as "the best medicine I ever used." If troubled with indigestion or constipation give them a trial. They are certain to prove beneficial. They are easy to take and pleasant in effect. Price 25 cents. Samples free at D. N. Leaverton's drug store.

If you are going to build a new house or repair the old one it will pay you to see us for Brick, Lime, Cement, Doors, shingles, windows, Valley tin, Nails, Locks, Hinges, Screws and Paint, as we are prepared to fill your bill complete and as cheap as you can get them any where else, see us, get our prices and do your improving while material is cheap. Geo. E. Darsey.

Close of I. & G. N. Shops.

Palestine, Tex., July 31.—Official notice was posted today in the International & Great Northern shops here of a lay off, no definite time being stated. It is learned that over three hundred employes will be thereby temporarily out of work. It is believed, however, that this lay off will last only a matter of a few weeks, and the fall movement of freight will undoubtedly necessitate a full force soon.

Special for Sale Cheap.

A few good second hand wagons. If you want a bargain see us. George E. Darsey.

Have your cleaning and pressing done at a first class shop and by an experienced tailor. Send them to O'Jell Paris.

News at the Hub.

Crockett, Texas, Aug. 2.—There is a great deal of complaint of dry weather throughout the county, though some places have had plenty of rain.

The cotton crop has failed considerably and will be shorter than at first supposed, yet we will gather a larger crop than for several years.

Mr. Satterfield, our new superintendent, is now on the ground getting things in shape for the opening of school in September.

District court will open here this morning for the trial of Chris Major, charged with incest.

Messrs. W. E. Mayes and H. F. Moore of the First National Bank, are on a visit to Seattle Wash., to attend the Bankers' Convention.

Mr. Steve Alley has sold his interest in the gin here.

Boring at the water works has begun. But suppose they should strike oil? Crockett would then be a greasy old town.

The first bale of new cotton was brought in on Aug. 29. It was raised by Messrs Biss and Carrol on the river and weighed 489 pounds. It was sold to Jas. S. Shivers & Co. for 11 3/4 cts. They received a premium of \$17.75.

The court has been grinding very successfully this week. Nine convictions for murder and robbery is the result. This should be a warning for evil doers in Houston county. It seems that Houston County has at last decided to suppress crime if it takes all the summer.

Senator C. C. Stokes returned last week from Austin with his bride.

Mr. Joe Mallock lost a fine colt last week by having his leg accidentally broken.

Rex.

There is no use in buying a wagon said to be as good, but go to Geo. E. Darsey's and buy a Studebaker, the standard wagon for years. Cash or easy payment to suit purchaser.

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Augusta News.

Augusta, Aug. 1.—In looking over the political field we notice many aspirants for the gubernatorial plum, although it is many months before the election. Some are already in the field declaring themselves before the people. We think, however, that the political pot will simmer down to about four with Campbell probably the fifth man. A good many think he will trample under foot the time honored custom of Texas and run for a third term. We think this would be a bad precedent and should not be recognized by the voters. It is to be hoped that the people will think twice before they leap, and choose a broad gauge man to lead us out of the bog in which we have been for many years past. Texas needs something to be done. In any enterprise she is very light. Railroad building is a thing of the past and in point of education she is away down the line. Let us be careful and make a judicious choice for governor next year.

Mr. Benge of Kennard Mills has moved among us. We extend to him and his estimable family a hearty welcome. Mr. Benge is an expert workman, both in iron and wood and is prepared to do any kind of work in wood and iron. We are glad that we have been able to obtain the services of such a finished workman.

The Woodmen of the World have organized a camp at this place with a good membership and other applications pending. We will give name of the officers later on.

A few days ago in conversation with a young man of this place he said that it would not be long before more wedding bells would ring in Augusta. Judging from the twinkle in his eye and his nervousness he must be one of the prospective grooms. In advance we congratulate the young people and say go to it. Boots shoes and socks are out of fashion and we may add old maids and bachelors also.

The smile on Dr. Blair's face lately is unusually large. On inquiring he says business is rushing and he has decided to take in a partner. The young man is domiciled with his mother—a ten pound boy at the Blair residence.

Jim Langham, our great watermelon raiser, is supplying the market with some fine melons. We some times wish the fruit would last all the year, but that would be out of order.

We have heard crop prospects argued pro and con until it gives us the jim-jams, so we will wait till we gather then tell you how much we made.

W. H. Halcomb and McLain are getting together a considerable herd of cattle and we suppose something will be doing in that line in a few days.

The health of our community is good at present. As ever, Old Gray.

After The Honeymoon.

Austin, Texas, Aug. 1.—The Associated Press dispatch telling of the marriage tomorrow in London Eng., of Henry Clay Pierce reminded Austin that Mr. Pierce is to face a jury in Travis County in October, provided there is no further postponement of a change of venue had. The oil magnate is far from home, but it is over two months before the trial is to be called. It is expected that Mr. Pierce will be here when the case is called even though a postponement may have been agreed upon which is not considered probable. Assistant Attorney General Lightfoot spent some time in St. Louis and New York a short time ago and it was stated that he was securing certain additional evidence needed in the Pierce case. Mr. Lightfoot has been acting in the case in behalf of the state at the urgent invitation of the governor. Judge W. P. McLain of Ft. Worth and C. H. Jenkins of Brownwood were retained by the governor to assist the prosecution.

Mrs. O. C. Payne of Greenville visited relatives here last week.

Trinity River Ripples.

Reynard Aug. 2.—Last week was spent in trying to get folks to get religion. Bro. J. A. Arnold was leader and everybody seemed to enjoy his sermons. There were four who came out on the Lord's side and we hope much good done. Bro. Arnold mixed and mingled with our people in our homes and passed some good compliments. Let us try to be worthy of them.

Some cotton is beginning to open, some making yet and some about played its hand. Some think that there will be a thousand bales ginned this season.

A fishing and hunting party from Grapeland and Daly's spent a few days on the river last week.

Jack Beazley and J. L. Chiles were in Crockett Monday in answer to a summons from the county, but were not needed.

We have a right good joke on Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Kent. They went home from church one night and left one of their children at church.

Mrs. J. R. Rials has had a right hard tussle with billious fever the past week.

The family of Mr. P. L. Fulgham were not able to attend preaching on account of Mrs. Fulgham's health, but hope all will be well soon.

One of our merchants is offering 10c per pound for all the cotton he can get or as much as five hundred bales on a bases of middling. This sounds like business, doesn't it?

Our gin man will be ready in plenty of time to cut the first bale. Wonder who will be first to furnish the bale.

Miss Fannie Pridgen of Daly's spent a few days here last week attending the meeting. Also Miss Mary Pennington.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Homer Beazley Sunday Aug. 1, a girl baby.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Laseter and Callie Mae of Daley's spent Sunday with Mr. J. H. Beazley and family.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. West leaves to-day for Loraine on a visit to his son, Leonard. Mrs. Kent, who is in the West, will join him there.

Pledger Chiles and sister Miss Mary Kate, visited friends at Daley's Sunday.

ZACK.

Closing Out All Summer Goods

To Make Room For Our LARGE Fall Stock.

We will for the next 30 days make it to your interest to buy all of your figured Lawns, in fact any goods of summer weight FROM US.

All 5c Lawn going at.....	4c.
All 8½c Lawn " ".....	6½c.
All 10c Lawn " ".....	7½c.
All 12½ " ".....	10c.
All 20 " ".....	15c.

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We will sell you a \$10.00 Suit of clothes for.....\$7.50

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"Wrong Again."

It seems that Livingston has no desire just at the present to meet our aggregation of sluggers. An effort was made to get them here this week, but we suppose all the Houston players were busy and couldn't get off. Really, we think Sory hates to go down in defeat before his old pals.—Grapeland Messenger. No, Livingston has no desire to meet the aggregation at present. Not because the Houston players are busy, for we have never had a Houston player on our team. It is for this reason alone, Grapeland has gone up against one or two weak amateur teams, and defeated them, and they became enthused over the matter, that they at once got busy to challenge something stronger.

They called Mr. Sory over the phone, and wanted him to get the Livingston team together at once and hike for Grapeland. Of course Mr. Sory having been raised at Grapeland, knew the Grapeland boys and looked at the sensible side of the matter, and told them it would be at least two or three weeks before he could come over with the team. The fact, is that Mr. Sory knew the Grapeland bunch would need two weeks practice before they could even interest our boys. But they are

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D. N. Leaverton

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They are sluggers from the word go, and if they do beat out a victory, the joke will be on Will West, and we can brand him as a "hot air shooter."

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Assists You to Save by Pointing Out Useless Expenditures

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A check account will furnish you with an record of all amounts spent. It gives you a grip on expenditures because you can tell what was bought, when you got it and from whom. This method will put you ahead.

The **F. & M. State Bank,**
Grapeland, Texas

LOCAL NEWS.

Go to Howard's when in town.

Happy Day Flour at Wherry's.

FOR SALE OR TRADE. Good 2 1/2 inch Old Hickory wagon for hack. Mae Bean.

Examine our shoes before buying. S. E. Howard.

Leopard brand Hats all the best every one guaranteed at F. A. Faris.

The old reliable Happy Day flour for \$1.65 per sack at Wherry's.

Get Darsey's prices on eggs before you sell. Try this and see if the other fellow don't come up a little.

A. S. Porter went to Crockett Monday.

Silver Moon Tobacco only 30c per lb. at F. A. Faris.

See Howard for paint, will save you money.

Joe Royall of Palestine visited relatives in Grapeland Sunday.

Rev. W. H. Kolb filled the pulpit at the Baptist church Sunday in the absence of the pastor, T. N. Mainer.

Young Men see those new shirts at F. A. Faris.

Groceries, both fancy and staple at Howard's.

Mrs. Geo. Denny and children of Crockett visited relatives in Grapeland this week.

Trade at Howard's.

Mrs. C. E. Dockery who has been visiting her parents for several weeks returned to her home in Shreveport La, Wednesday.

Buy your smokeless and New Club shells from F. A. Faris.

Mr. W. D. Granbury, our accommodating and efficient railroad agent, informs us that he has been appointed freight and ticket agent at Palestine. We regret very much to lose Mr. Granbury and his wife. He will move as soon as a relief agent is sent here.

Louisiana coffee the best on earth at F. A. Faris.

We have a few pair of summer pants left that we will give you a bargain in. Kennedy Bros.

Joe Bob Oliphint and Charlie Butler are home from Huntsville where they have been attending the normal.

We are hungry for chickens and prices are better at Anthony & Alsop.

Use Biting Eezena Cure for all skin diseases and piles. Guaranteed. A. S. Porter.

Miss Loye Darsey has returned home from Austin, where she has been attending school.

I have just received another car of Dixie wagons. See me before buying. J. J. Brooks.

J. W. Spence and family of Vernon are visiting friends and relatives in the Grapeland country.

We have two cars of barb wire and hog fencing and if you are going to fix your fence now is the time while wire is cheap. Geo. E. Darsey.

See my new spring samples before placing your order for a new suit. I'll treat you right. Odell Faris.

Remember that we are closing out our Toothpick tobacco at 30c per lb. F. A. Faris.

Miss Edna Wallace of Waxahachie was the guest of her cousin, Miss Ida Coleman Lively, a few days last week.

Collars, pads, bridles, breast straps, lines and whips at Faris'.

LOST—REWARD. 7 jewel Waltham watch and chain, locket charm; lost at Augusta or on road last Friday. Reward paid for return to Lewis Sory.

Cleaning and pressing done right at reasonable prices if you bring me your clothes. Lee Clewis.

Warner Eaves is at home from Abilene, where he has been attending a summer normal.

If the flour that you have been using is not as good as it ought to be try a sack of White Wave or Oriole. Geo. E. Darsey.

Mack Saxon of Palmetto was here a day or two last week, stopping off on his way to Shreveport to meet his wife and baby.

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Miss Dora Leaverton of Kauffman is here on a visit to relatives.

Plenty of 8 oz. duck at Faris'.

If you expect to buy a wagon this season, see me before buying. My prices are right. Can arrange terms to suit the buyer. J. J. Brooks.

Odell Faris has just received his big line of fall and winter samples. Prices reasonable and a fit guaranteed.

Miss Betty Kelley of Crockett was the guest of friends in Grapeland this week.

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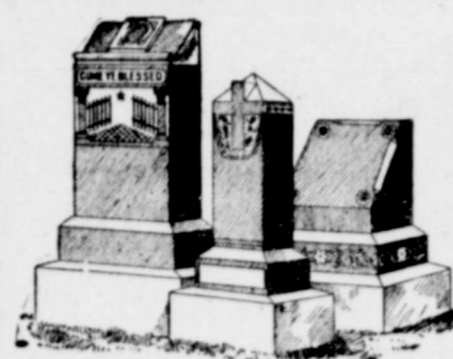
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TOMBSTONES MADE IN ANY DESIGN, ALMOST ANY PRICE

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 anything in this line.

L. Q. Browning,

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MIXING IT UP

THAT IS OUR BUSINESS

Do you realize that the mixing of medicine is a particular job?

There are many ways in which medicine can be mixed, but only one RIGHT way.

Oil and water are pretty hard to mix, but the druggist who knows his business can mix oil and water into an emulsion as smooth as the oil itself.

We know the drug business and would be glad to mix your medicines for you.

A. S. PORTER

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Buy your horse collars, bridles, breast straps, wagon lines, collar pads and whips from F. A. Faris.

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Base Ball News.

The locals won the third game from Bullard by a score of 8 to 7. The visitors came very near annexing this game. D. Peebles went in the box for the locals, shutting out the visitors two innings. Spence then arrived in uniform and relieved him, but showed poor form, and Gayden featured by slamming out a home run. But all the time the locals had piled up 7 1/2 scores up to the seventh inning, and this proved a disastrous period for the locals. Some how Spence could not get right and allowed 6 runs, tying the score. In the eighth each side suffered shut outs, and a shut out for the visitors in first half of the ninth. Finch went to the bat and singled, stole second and third and came home on a wild throw to the plate, winning the game.

Batteries: Peebles, Spence and Finch; Scales, Gayden and Hogan.

Lovelady Defeated.

The Sluggers went to Lovelady Thursday and walloped that bunch to the time of 18 to 9. It was a ragged game from start to finish, and the Sluggers maintained a steady lead all the way through. The frightful condition of the diamond is responsible for the high score, making it an impossibility to field a ball in the outfield. A frog pond occupied right field; a tall and graceful oak towered in centerfield, and a garden served as a left field. However, a panel had been taken out of the fence so the fielders could walk in and get the ball without tearing his uniform jumping the fence. A runner from first to second had to be a good sprinter to jump a ditch that led off from pitchers' box out by second base. A very regrettable incident occurred in the sixth in-

ning, when one of Lovelady's players insulted one of our boys, which stopped the game about ten minutes for a free-for-all fight. Fortunately no one was hurt and the game was resumed and played out in peace and harmony. The team was met at the train by a large crowd of enthusiasts and given a great ovation on their return.

Batteries: Holland and Finch; Hutchings, Atkinson and Spear.

Bullard played two games at Crockett losing the first 9 to 3 and winning the second 10 to 2.

The Sluggers left for Livingston Tuesday for a series of three games. According to the line up published in the Livingston Enterprise a majority of their players are from fast teams of other towns, which will make it more interesting for the Sluggers.

Bullard played base ball at Grapeland Monday. Result: Grapeland 9, Bullard 4. Menefee of the Crockett team played with Grapeland. Three games were to be played, but we have not heard the outcome of the last two.—Crockett Courier.

The Courier editor has been misinformed. Menefee played two games with Bullard.

Livingston's Defeat.

TEN INNING GAME.

There were several people of Grapeland who reflected their thoughts to Will West the "Hot Air Shooter". Tuesday night, when the news was received that our boys romped on the Livingston ball tossers to the tune of 9 to 8, in ten innings. It takes more than "Hot Air" to wallope the Sand Lappers, which no doubt Mr. West has realized by this time. If Livingston intends to get anything they had better think who they are up against and play accordingly. The players from other towns may

teach our boys a few points, but as to Livingston little may be expected as they are under training by the players from other towns. Batteries not learned

Heading This Way.

Jim Smith returned Monday morning from the construction camp of the Texas Southeastern railroad, which is building, slowly but surely, from Lufkin to Crockett. The Texas Southeastern Railroad company has changed its plans in regard to using the track of the Eastern Texas from Druso to Kennard and is building its own track between the two points named. The Texas Southeastern crosses the Eastern Texas near Druso and makes a curve around to the northwest by way of Ratcliff and on to Kennard. From Kennard the road will build direct to Crockett. Construction is now in progress between Druso and Ratcliff.—Crockett Courier.

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Eugene Yarbrough, wife and baby have returned to their home in Village Mills. They were accompanied by Swanson Yarbrough, who will study telegraphy.

Chas. Paris was down from Palestine Tuesday.

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Hard Roads Meeting.

Pursuant to a call issued several days ago, about seventy representative men of Grapeland and community met Saturday afternoon in the Woodmen hall to discuss the road question.

The purpose of the meeting was to sound those present on the question of issuing bonds and levying a tax to clay our roads. After a discussion of the question a vote was taken, and all present voted for the bond issue.

A committee was appointed to confer with the Attorney General to get all the information needed, in order to fix the required territory for road district and to have an election called.

We are glad that so many have expressed themselves in favor of good roads, and that they are willing to do anything reasonable to get good roads.

The work that has been done, and which is in progress now, proves beyond a doubt that we can have as good roads as any country. Let the good work go on, and boast the bond issue.

I have received my new design book, together with samples of marble and am now prepared to show you something good in tombstones and monuments.

L.Q. Browning.

Lee Sory and family have moved into their new residence south of town, and Mr. E. J. Cashman has taken charge of the hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Kates of Ben Wheeler have been visiting relatives in and near Grapeland.

Jack Johnson knocked out Burns, and Lee Lewis can knock the dirt and grease out of your clothes and press them so as to look new.

Mrs. Ida Totty of Palestine visited relatives in Grapeland last week.

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