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News from the Grapeland Bargain Store

New Goods coming in all the time.

If you want

DRY GOODS, SHOES

or GROCERIES

Don't buy until you get prices at the
BARGAIN STORE.

All low quarter shoes going regardless of cost.

Special prices on domestic.

Will save you money on overalls, cotton sacks and lowells.

You will always find high quality and low prices at the **BARGAIN STORE.**

Come to Grapeland where the High Cost of Living has been reduced

MY MOTTO: "SPOT CASH AND SMALL PROFITS"

W. R. WHERRY

THE POOR MAN'S FRIEND

FREE DELIVERY UNION PHONE NO. 45. CALL US UP

WORKING THE ROADS

Last week out on the Palestine road, a sand bed just this side of Oak Grove school house was clayed, and now a large force are working on Stedman hill and will put it in good shape. This is one of the worst sand-beds in the county and when it is fixed we will have a fairly good road all the way to Elkhart.

Work commenced this week on

the Grapeland-Salmon road. It is proposed to build a first-class highway from Grapeland through Salmon to the county line.

The Baptist revival, which has been in progress at the tabernacle for the past ten days, came to a close Sunday night. Four new members were added to the church, two by letter and two by baptism. Baptising took place at the tank south of town Sunday afternoon.

ALL THE NEWS FROM WANETA

Aug. 16.—We have been having some cool rainy weather the past few days.

The singing school at Hickory Grove, conducted by Mr. Sheffield, closed Friday afternoon.

Mr. L. H. McElroy returned home Thursday from near San Antonio. He was accompanied home by Mr. Joe Elliott, wife and son.

There has been a great deal of sickness here the past week.

Mr. Claud Denson and family of Slocum visited in this community from Saturday till Monday.

Mr. Teems entertained with a singing Sunday afternoon.

Grand Father Hulan and wife of Slocum were the guests of Mr. Edmondson of this place Sunday and Monday.

The young people enjoyed an entertainment at Charlie Hendrick's Friday night.

Mrs. J. E. Harrington, Miss Ruby, and Roy, left Saturday for Mabank, Texas, to visit relatives.

Mr. Joe E. Edmondson, agricultural demonstrator, visited homefolks of this place last week.

Mr. Ross Fortson was going down the road the other day and met an automobile, and as he had never seen one before, he became frightened and ran against a tree and knocked a few of his teeth out. He certainly has the sympathy of this writer.

Success to the Messenger.
Bonnie.

Fortify the body to resist malarial germs by putting the system in perfect order. Prickly Ash Bitters is a wonderful system regulator. Sold by D. N. Leaverton. adv

MEET ME AT CASH GROCERY CO.

WHERE QUALITY COUNTS

We have the LARGEST STOCK OF GROCERIES IN GRAPELAND.

WE PAY CASH, another item worth considering. We discount our bills every week.

WE SELL FOR CASH.

We figure our profits VERY CLOSE.

We are in a position to CONVINCING YOU that we can SAVE YOU MONEY.

TRY US AND SEE.

Your business appreciated.

THE CASH GROCERY COMPANY

FREE DELIVERY

Phone us Your Orders

Advance Showing of Men's Hats

We have just received our fall shipment of THOROUGHbred HATS. These hats evidence the latest creations in style along with no extreme in fads. The same guarantee with every Thoroughbred Hat. Let us show you today.

We have also received many new patterns in Gingham. 50 patterns to select from.

Plenty of Cantons and 8 oz. duck.

McLean & Riall

THE HOME OF DEPENDABLE MERCHANDISE
BOTH PHONES FREE DELIVERY

Won't You Look Them Over?

Big shipment of Ladies' Collars in the season's latest styles, at a price of 25c to 50c each. New styles of "Peggy Tam" Caps that are priced to suit you.

We received this week big shipment of men's felt hats for fall--the best styles the markets are offering, and we know the prices will please you.

Something new in "Sport Shirts" are being shown at our shirt counter. We ask that you allow us the pleasure of showing them to you.

We are receiving daily new Dress Goods that are the best selections from the markets in the east, which will enable us to save you money on your purchases and give you the best values. See us when in the market for anything in our line.

KENNEDY BROS.

THE STORE FOR EVERYBODY

LOCAL NEWS FROM UNION

August 16.—We have had several showers, which were appreciated.

Crops are looking fine. People are making syrup and cotton is beginning to open. Many peas are being picked.

Some sickness in our neighborhood. Among those sick are: Mr. Prewit Dubose, Mrs. John Morris and Miss Frances Brown; also Otis Pelham and Mr. Zack Brown have been sick; but all are better now.

Mrs. Whitescarver and daughter have returned to their home near Grapeland after spending several days with friends and relatives.

Mrs. S. W. Duitch spent Saturday and Sunday with relatives in the Oak Grove community.

Miss Katie Caskey, who for the last nine years has been in the Buckner's Orphan Home of Dallas, is now here to stay.

Our Literary Society is to meet next Saturday night. We

did not have the meeting before on account of services at the churches nearby. We have a good program for next time and hope to see many out.

There was to be singing at Midway last Saturday night but owing to the absence of a leader, we did not sing much.

Blue Jay.

WHY YOU SHOULD TRADE WITH FIRMS THAT ADVERTISE:

Because advertising moves goods, thus assuring you that the firm that advertises is least likely to have anything old to offer you, even where it is so a mind.

Because the firm that advertises to sell is likely to be just as progressive in buying its stock, and thus knows how to purchase at a saving for its customers.

Keep the body healthy at this season by using Prickly Ash Bitters. It is a necessary condition to successfully resist malarial germs. Sold by D. N. Leaverton. adv

THE GRAPELAND MESSENGER

A. H. LUKER, Editor and Owner

Entered in the Postoffice at GrapeLand, Texas, very Thursday as Second Class Mail Matter.

Subscribers ordering a change of address should give the old as well as the new address.

PUBLISHER'S NOTICE—Obituaries and Resolutions of Respect are printed for half price—2 1/2¢ per line. Other matter "not news" charged at regular rates.

Our advertising rates are reasonable and quoted upon application.

OUR PURPOSE—It is the purpose of the Messenger to record accurately, simply and interestingly the moral, intellectual, industrial and political progress of GrapeLand and Houston county. To aid us in this every citizen should give us his moral and financial support.

SUBSCRIPTION — IN ADVANCE

1 YEAR.....	\$1.00
6 MONTHS....	.50
3 MONTHS....	.25

THURSDAY, AUG. 19, 1915

The only kind of popularity that is worth while comes from doing things that are worth while.

A young lady in a nearby state lost a breach of promise suit because when the man proposed she merely nodded her answer. The girl who wouldn't under such circumstances climb into a man's lap, put her arms around his neck and pucker her lips for a kiss, could hardly be considered as having given acquiescence that would have any standing in court.

Americans seem to be very busy in seeing America this season. It is reported that 10,000,000 have already visited the exposition in California. The war in Europe has made traveling over there very unpopular and a lot of our people will be saved from making monkeys of themselves by blowing in money indiscriminately in Europe. It has been a long time since the folly of showing off has taken such a black-eye as it has this year.

CROCKETT'S WAREHOUSE

In this issue appears the ad of the Houston County Warehouse Co. The business men of Crockett got behind this movement several weeks ago, and as a result a building 60 feet wide and 500 feet long has been erected in which to store the cotton of Houston County. It is an enterprise that has been badly needed, not only because at all times we need better facilities for handling cotton, but it became imperative that something should be done to handle this crop and not let it be thrown on the market all at one time for what it will bring as was the case last fall. The cotton can be properly housed, protected from the weather and other damage, and can be held at a minimum cost. Liberal loans can also be obtained on cotton in warehouses, which is not the case if kept at home. This is a benefit to the farmer who wants to hold his cotton for a better price. The warehouse is a stockholders concern and we understand that any farmer who desires to do so can take stock in it at a small cost.

Crockett's recently organized commercial club put this warehouse through, and we understand that they have other useful projects in hand.

Miss Addie Hill returned Monday from Berkeley, Cal., where she has been taking a special course in Berkeley College. She also visited the exposition at San Francisco.

NEWSY LETTER FROM ANTRIM

Antrim, Aug. 14.—Since our last letter we have had many clouds but no rain to speak of. But we are still hoping and waiting. This is the only year we have ever seen the sweet potatoes die from the lack of moisture. However, we have corn a plenty and that means bread and meat. Last year we had the "Cotton-Coon" up our tree, and owing to the low price of same he was forced to come down and wallow in the dust. This year we have the "Corn-Coon" up our tree and if we get a season any time this month we will also have plenty of potatoes and "Sow Bosom" to pile around the roots of that glorious sapling. Let us comfort ourselves with this thought: "All corn and no cotton is better than all cotton and no corn."

Our Literary Society held its regular monthly meeting Saturday night before the second Sunday. Among those reciting were Calvin Durnell, Nutrice Waddell, Miss Eva Brooks, Mrs. A. N. Edens. The questions by V. L. Durnell were splendid, as were the jokes by Miss Jewel Helms. There was also a dialogue by Mamie Durnell, Jim and Emma Edens and Ivy Brenson. Violin and organ music was furnished by the home team. The debate between the local team and Rocky Mound was awarded to Antrim. Messrs. Jno. Warren and G. L. Waddell spoke for Antrim and Messrs. Joe Miller and Tony Holcomb spoke for Rocky Mound. The question was Capital Punishment. Prof. Domin and Supt. Snell of Crockett were with us and after the debate Prof. Snell addressed the society upon the question of better education. All enjoyed his talk and hope to have the gentlemen with us again. Many visitors were present, the house not being sufficient to accommodate the crowd. Next meeting Saturday night before second Sunday in September.

Uncle Ed Weisinger is quite sick at this writing.

Mr. Jasper Simpson of the New Prospect community is building on his place north of Antrim and will soon be a naturalized Antrimite. We welcome these good people to our church, school and society. Antrimite.

The Case of L. L. Cantelou.

The case of L. L. Cantelou, Clarendon, Texas, is similar to that of many others who have used Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. He says, "After trying a doctor for several months, and using different kinds of medicine for my wife who had been troubled with severe bowel complaint for several months, I bought a 25c bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. After using the second bottle she was entirely cured." For sale by all dealers. adv

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Royall announce the birth of a son last Saturday.

Not So Strange After All.

You may think it strange that so many people are cured of stomach trouble by Chamberlain's Tablets. You would not, however, if you should give them a trial. They strengthen and invigorate the stomach and enable it to perform its functions naturally. Mrs. Rosie Rish, Wabash, Ind., writes, "Nothing did me the least good until I began using Chamberlain's Tablets. It is decidedly the best medicine for stomach trouble I have ever used. For sale by all dealers. adv

LOCAL NEWS FROM CROCKETT

Crockett, Texas, August 16.—Charlie Martin, a former Crockett boy, has joined the U. S. Navy and writes home to his father that he is well pleased. He has been away from Crockett about five months.

Hon. D. A. Nunn has been quite ill at his home in east Crockett for several days with appendicitis. Friday, August 13th, a Palestine surgeon, assisted by Dr. W. C. Lipscomb of this city, operated. The operation was entirely successful, and while Mr. Nunn's condition is still very critical, he is doing as well as could be expected under the circumstances.

The annual session of the Houston County Teachers Institute will be held in this city one week, beginning Monday, September 8th, with County Supt. J. N. Snell as conductor. It was intended to hold the Institute the latter part of October, but by making the change, a number of persons of prominence in educational matters in state could be obtained to deliver lectures, and Mr. Snell desirous of making the session as instructive as possible, called the meeting as above set forth.

Miss Clairette Elliott, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. B. S. Elliott, will attend a prominent educational institution of North Carolina session 1915-16, and will leave early in September to assume her duties.

The Crockett base ball club has returned from a week's tour, playing Rusk last Monday, there being rain Tuesday, a double header was played Wednesday, the home team winning one game and tying with Rusk in the other. On Friday they played Jacksonville, 4 to 0; on Saturday they played Jacksonville again, the game resulting in a tie, 2 and 2. On Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday of the present week, they play Nacogdoches; on Thursday, Friday and Saturday they play Palestine.

The Commissioners court met in regular session Monday, Aug. 9th, Judge E. Winfree presiding, present Eugene Holcomb Com. Pre. 1, G. R. Murchison Com. Pre. 2, J. A. Harrelson Com. Pre. 3 and J. W. McHenry Com. Pre. 4. Claims amounting to \$4529.45 were examined, approved and warrants ordered issued to cover. Among the largest of them were: Pauper list for ensuing quarter, \$556. Election claims for July election, \$274; Judge E. Winfree, Ex-Officio services, \$250; A. S. Moore Co-Cl'k, Ex-Officio services, \$100; J. D. Morgan Dist. Cl'k, Ex-Officio services, \$75; R. J. Spence sheriff, Ex-Officio services, \$75; R. J. Spence board bill of prisoners, 151.50; R. J. Spence conveying parties to asylum, 75.45; R. J. Spence jail guard for July, 45; Lone Star Culvert Company, iron culverts for roads, 755; Houston County Times, printing tax rolls, 90.74; R. D. Calhoun, 30 cords of wood for court house, 90; H. W. Beeson, services as agricultural demonstrator, 41.65; A. S. Moore, caring for deed records, indexing same and etc., 87.50; C. A. Westerman, lumber, 108.55; E. C. Smith, building bridges, 47.40; G. H. Robinson, lumber, trees, hauling, 64; E. F. Smith, lumber, 57; S. B. Blackman, lumber and building bridge, 56.36; American Disinfecting Company, 60 gallons "Bug O," 120; Austin Bros., Dallas, one road machine, 175;

TENNIS SHOES

FOR

MEN, WOMEN AND CHILDREN

We have just received this week another big shipment of Tennis Shoes and Oxfords, and are now ready to supply you while our line of sizes is complete.

A NEW SUIT



ADDS TO THE APPEARANCE OF ANY MAN

We want the men and young men of this community to come to our store and inspect our complete and up-to-date lines.

We guarantee every suit to be all pure wool, fast colors and a perfect fit. Satisfaction must be yours. We give unexcelled service for \$15 up.

While they last we will sell any man's

Straw Hat

in our store worth up to \$3.00 for only

\$1.00

WE HAVE PLENTY OF 8 OZ. DUCK

Geo. E. Darsey. THE SERVICE FIRST STORE

Lang Smith, lumber, 112.77; Geo. W. Shaver, lumber, 167.47; Bennett Printing Company, stationary for Co Officers, 44.11; R. K. Smith, lumber and building bridge, 58; J. R. Morrow, lumber, 58.85.

Three new voting boxes were established, one at GrapeLand with M. D. Murchison and B. H. Logan as managers, and two at Crockett, first one at Crockett will have H. F. Craddock and Frank Driskell as managers, while second will have John Millar and Dug Austin as managers.

The reports of the following county and precinct officers were examined and approved: E. Winfree Co. Judge, B. F. Dent Co. Atty., A. S. Moore Co. Clerk, G. H. Denny Tax Collector, Ney Sheridan Treasurer, Clyde Story Justice Pre. No. 2, Augusta.

The hottest fight of the entire term was over the appointment of H. W. Beeson as Agricultural demonstrator for another year, delegations appearing for and against the proposition. After due discussion by the Court, this office was, by mutual consent, abolished. Heretofore the County has been paying Mr. Beeson \$500 per year.

How to Cure a Sprain.

A sprain may be cured in about one-third the time required by the usual treatment by applying Chamberlain's Liniment and observing the directions with each bottle. For sale by all dealers. adv

NECHES RIVER ASSOCIATION

I desire to call the attention of the pastors and churches to the fifth Sunday meeting to be held at Porter Springs, 10 miles west of Crockett, beginning on Thursday night before the fifth Sunday in August. Do not be confused in your mind by the announcement of the same kind for Arbor. That is to be a meeting of the B. M. A. faction of Baptists.

The meeting at Porter Springs is the regular Baptist of Old Neches River Association. We will hold our 50th, annual session at Lovelady next October. We co operate with the Baptist General Convention of Texas and also with the Southern Baptist Convention.

It is very important that the Porter Springs meeting be well attended. See that your church is represented. I especially request the members of the Executive Board to attend this meeting. I am informed by the Pastor of Porter Springs that Messengers coming by rail will be met at Crockett and conveyance furnished to Porter Springs. Very cordially and fraternally yours.

H. E. Harris, Moderator.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Kerr and baby returned Monday night from Cleburne, where they spent a week visiting relatives. The trip was made in a car without any trouble at all, and they report a most pleasant visit.

THE SCHOOL BOOKS HAVE ARRIVED

We believe there is a sufficient quantity to supply North Houston County.

We are required to pay cash for these books and are instructed to sell for cash only. Therefore, since there is practically no profit in handling these books we shall require cash.

Positively No Credit on School Books

We shall be able to supply schools with CRAYON and ERASERS.

We are the headquarters for school supplies. Several thousand tablets and pencils are ordered.

A Complimentary School Bag

One for Each Family

"THE PEOPLES' DRUG STORE"

WADE L. SMITH

LOCAL NEWS

New Neckwear at Darsey's.

Miss Vilna Haltom visited friends in Palestine Sunday.

Friendship Bracelets at Darsey's.

Rub - My - Tism - Antiseptic, Anodyne - Kills pain, stops putrefaction.

W. H. Kent of Crockett will accept our thanks for his renewal for another year.

Rev. S. W. Edge is in Trinity this week assisting in a big union revival.

"Doctor" M. L. Clewis, Clothes Specialist. Old clothes renovated and made new. Charges most reasonable. Adv.

Mrs. W. T. Edington of Houston spent a few days here last week with Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Edington.

County Attorney. B. F. Dent and J. E. Winfree of Crockett were here Saturday on legal business.

Mrs. R. H. Wherry and child has returned to her home in Memphis, Texas, after spending quite awhile here with relatives.

Misses Arline Howard and Vera Fields are being entertained this week by Miss Helen Long at Augusta.

Miss Ruby Harrington, of Waneta, who was here Saturday on her way to Mabank to visit relatives, was a very pleasant caller at the Messenger office.

Oscar Dennis of Percilla has the editor's thanks for a very liberal sample of some of that fine sorgum syrup he has put up this summer.

Prof. A. W. Cain writes us to change the address of his paper from Manila to Lingayen, Pangasinan, P. I. He has a new and better job as superintendent of schools. His new duties require a great deal of travel, but says he has been furnished an automobile by the government and the roads are fine, being macadamized.

Gold and Silver friendship links at Darsey's.

No. 666 will cure Malaria or Bilious Fever. It kills the germs.

Mrs. Laura Goodson is visiting her brother, Dr. Jones, in Houston.

No. 666 will cure chills and fever. It's the most speedy remedy we know. adv

Automobile supplies, gasoline, oils and greases at Darsey's - Free Air.

Hats cleaned and re-blocked, made to look new. New bands put on inside and outside. adv. M. L. Clewis.

Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Parker and two children of Manning spent the latter part of last week here with relatives.

EXCURSION RATES ON BATHS

Beginning August 1 and continuing through the month we will make a special price of 15c for baths. J. W. Caskey.

Rev. M. L. Williams returned home Sunday from Houston, where he had been in a sanitarium and was operated on for appendicitis.

Mrs. Minnie Miller returned home Saturday night from Shreveport, La. She was accompanied by her sister, Mrs. C. E. Dockery.

Mrs. J. S. Yarbrough went to Palestine Sunday to see her son, Seth Wright, who was recently operated on for appendicitis. He is doing nicely and will be able to return home this week.

NOTICE

I am now taking orders for the Texas Nursery Co. of Sherman, Texas, who are growing all kinds of fruit trees, shade trees, and all kinds of ornamental shrubs. They are making a specialty of the BEST PAPER SHELL PECANS and are pushing the sale of the best seedlings also. The PAPER SHELL PECAN, when properly cared for, will begin bearing at four years. Our splendid crops of all kinds are now assured and I will be glad to take your orders for what you need at the first convenient opportunity. Mr. Sam Herod will begin working with me on August 1st, and any orders you can give him and courtesies shown him will be highly appreciated by me. adv J. E. Hollingsworth.

NEW PROSPECT HAPPENINGS

August 15.—We had a nice shower of rain yesterday, which we were glad to see.

Some sickness yet. Aunt Ann Parker is on the sick list this week but we are glad to state that she is not dangerously ill. Some of Mr. Ford Newman's folks are sick.

Mr. Dennis Hodges and wife, who have been visiting friends and relatives here for some time, left last Thursday for their home at Coledge, Texas. Thomas Caskey went home with them and will pick cotton there this fall.

Mrs. Dora Ritchey of Grape-land is staying with her mother, Mrs. Ann Parker, while she is sick.

Mr. Irvin Keen of the Oak Grove community visited Mr. Fred Bridges and family today.

Mr. Jack Baker and family visited Mr. Sam Bridges today; also Mrs. McKnight and girls visited Mr. Sam Bridges today.

Mr. Lee Finch and wife visited Mrs. Ann Parker today.

The Baptist meeting closed at this place last Thursday night. There was no additions to the church, but we hope there was lots of good done.

Jim McKnight, Glover Long and David Caskey spent part of the week on the Trinity river fishing, but report no fish caught.

While in Grapeland yesterday we heard a man say that he had made syrup enough to do him the next 12 months. We would be glad to see every body do the same. There was lots of cane planted around here but on account of the dry weather it did not do very well.

What little cotton we have made is beginning to open and it wont be long before picking will be in full head way.

What has become of some of the good writers? Would be glad to hear from them every week.

As ever,
Big Jim.

The Twenty Year Test

"Some twenty years ago I used Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy," writes Geo. W. Brock, publisher of the Enterprise, Aberdeen, Md. "I discovered that it was a quick and safe cure for diarrhoea. Since then no one can sell me anything said to be 'just as good.' During all these years I have used it and recommended it many times, as it has never disappointed anyone. For sale by all dealers.

Paint?

There are two good reasons for painting often-enough or even too-often. One, to look prosperous; two, to be so.

Nothing does one more credit or gives one more credit than paint, supplemented of courses by what goes with it; and paint costs nothing.

True, the first cost is \$5 or \$6 a gallon put-on; but it saves more than that in the property; saves it from slow going-down—not always slow—it drops with a jump when water gets in on wood and iron.

Dry wood and iron costs nothing, kept dry by paint.

Better paint when it needs it. Paint never goes-down in the sense of being more profitable next year.

DEVÖE
Kennedy Bros. sell it.

Two Vital Points

In the filling of a Prescription are

The freshness and purity of the Drugs, and--

The absolute accuracy with which they are compounded.

WE EXCEL IN BOTH

Women will be especially interested in our toilet articles and face creams, embracing everything for the toilet.

Men who smoke will be delighted with brands of cigars and tobaccos. Joy in every puff.

D. N. LEAVERTON
LEADING DRUGGIST

M. L. CLEWIS, Tailor

CLEANING

— and —

PRESSING

DONE THE SANITARY WAY

Satisfaction Guaranteed

Moderate Prices

TAILOR MADE CLOTHING A SPECIALTY
SEE OUR NEW FALL SAMPLES

Drink
Coca-Cola

Because it is delicious —
Because it is refreshing —
Because it is thirst-quenching —

And because it is the combination of the three. That marks Coca-Cola as a distinctive beverage. —

DEMAND THE GENUINE AND AVOID DISAPPOINTMENT

THE COCA-COLA CO. Atlanta, Ga.

Whenever you see an Arrow-Think of Coca-Cola

The Houston County Warehouse Co., Inc.

J. T. SAULSBURY, Manager

Our new building, 500x60 feet, located on our own spur track, with everything new and up-to-date, enables us to serve the farmers to the very best advantage.

We are also prepared to make LIBERAL ADVANCES ON COTTON STORED WITH US where desired.

CHARGES: Weighing, Shipping, Sampling, where required, and Storage for thirty days, 30c per bale. Storage, after 30 days, per month 15c

A Good Offer

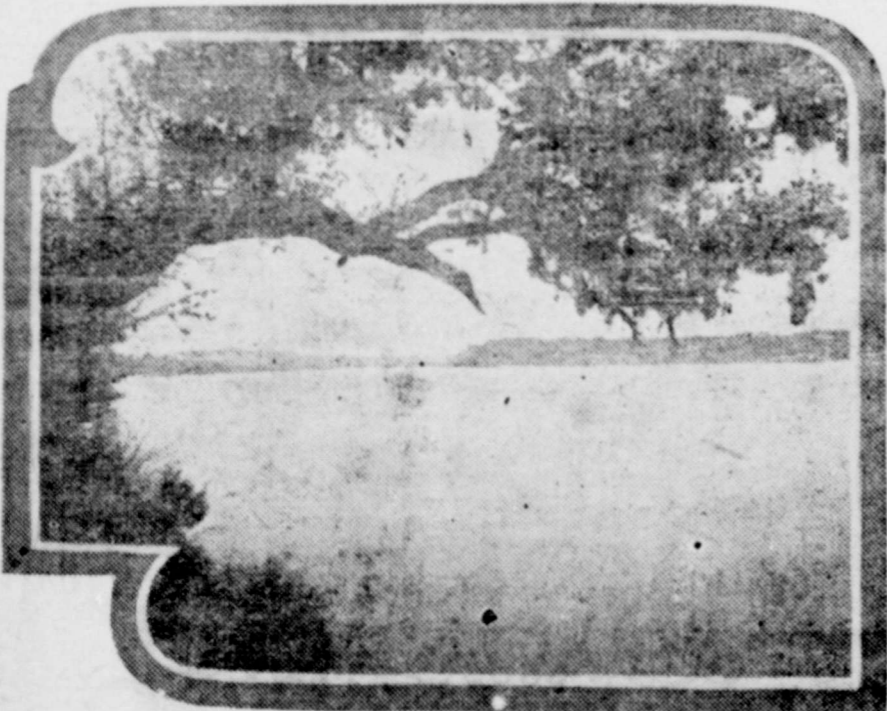
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For \$1.75

The regular price of the News and the Messenger is \$2.00 per year in advance. By subscribing now through the Messenger you get the two papers for \$1.75—a good farm paper and your favorite local paper.

Bring or send \$1.75 to the office of the Messenger Do it now and get the benefit of the cut price.

A VISTA FROM LAKE AUSTIN



From University of Texas property, on south shore.

The completion of the gigantic dam across the Colorado River near Austin, supplies the one thing needed to make ideal the location of the State's greatest institution of learning, the University of Texas. The lake runs back winding among the evergreen hills of Edward's Plateau for 35 miles, offering students who are disposed to take their recreation out-of-doors, such wholesome sports as rowing, fishing, motor-boating, swimming, sailing and so on. A large part of the land bordering the lake near Austin is owned by the University, and the students have erected a boat-house at a convenient place where their canoes, rowing and motor-boats are kept at a nominal charge.

VETINARY
L. S. HARRIS
Crockett, Texas

Will visit Grapeland second Saturday in each month. At Bobbitt's Stable

John Spence
Lawyer
Crockett, : : : Texas
Office Upstairs over Monzingo Millinery Store

FOLEY KIDNEY PILLS FOR BACKACHE KIDNEYS AND BLADDER

FRANK TAKEN FROM PRISON

Milledgeville, Ga., Aug. 16.—Leo M. Frank, Georgia's noted life term convict, was removed from the Georgia prison farm here tonight by 25 armed men, who overpowered Warden Smith.

Previous to the attack wires leading to the prison itself had been cut.

Frank was placed in an automobile and rushed in the direction of Eatonton.

It has not been ascertained whether Frank was lynched or whether the party that removed him from the prison were his friends.

A report to the Houston Post by mail indicates that Frank has been put to death. One of the convicts heard one of the men remark that "Frank's body would be placed on the grave of Mary Phagan at Marietta."

ONLY HALF SIZE

The Messenger comes to you this week half size, due to the fact that our shipment of paper from Houston failed to reach us Wednesday at noon. Houston has suffered greatly from the storm of Monday and Tuesday and traffic in that city is at a standstill. Our supply house was unable to deliver the shipment to the express company.

LYCEUM COURSE DATES

Prof. C. T. Sims has received from the Dixie Lyceum Bureau of Dallas the approximate dates for the attractions to appear in Grapeland. They are as follows:

- October 13: Booth Lowery.
- November 6: Rounds Ladies Orchestra.
- December 15: Thos. McClary.
- January 8: The Ionians.
- April 7: Miss Randle.

RATES REDUCED

Harmony Grove No. 656, Woodmen Circle of Grapeland, have received a special dispensation from the Supreme Guardian, granting a reduction in the initiation fee to \$2.00, but this does not include medical examination. The special rate for new members will hold good until October 31. Those desiring to join this splendid order had better do so while the low rate is on. adv

MEETING POSTPONED

The Pleasant Grove Baptist church, in conference, asks that the fifth Sunday meeting of the Anderson County Association meet the first Sunday in September instead of the fifth Sunday in August, on account of B. H. Boggard holding a meeting at Maydell at the same time.

VERY ENCOURAGING, AND TEN REASONS.

From present indications, our fall attendance will be the heaviest in the history of this institution. We are now getting from sixty to seventy-five requests each day for catalogues from those interested in attending. There are several reasons why those desiring to thoroughly prepare themselves for a successful business career should select our institution. First, we meet the demands of the business office or we would not be enrolling two thousand students annually from over half the states in the union. Second, we have our own specially prepared and copyrighted text books and methods of teaching the most important subjects.

FOR WOMEN ALSO

Women who complain of sick headaches, nervousness, constipation or the irregularities peculiar to the sex, revive wonderfully under the cleansing and stimulating properties of

PRICKLY ASH BITTERS

IT IS A POWERFUL SYSTEM REGULATOR

It extends its purifying and restorative influence to every part of the system. Women who are pale, sallow, weak and nervous soon pick up and become bright and cheerful under its excellent correcting properties. It clears the complexion, restores color to pale cheeks, sweetens the breath, brightens the eye and promotes regularity in the bowel movements.

Sold by Druggists and Dealers in Medicine.

Price \$1.00 per Bottle

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