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## BRIDGES GIVE WAY BEFORE BIG FLOOD <br> High Water Does Damage on Nueces ood Reaches Crest this Morning Afte Nine Days Continuous Rising. <br> HIGHEST IN TEN YEARS

The flood in the Nueces which had its ttginnirg a week ago
today in the canyons to the today in the canyons to the Northwest, reached its highest stage here this morning at six oclock. Although some damage
has been done along this part of has beendone along this part of
the stream it is insignificent compared with the destruction wrought by the fury of the waters further up where they are confined to a narrower channel. The stage reached this morning is the highest since September 17, 1903, at which time it was $31-2$ feet higher. Four years previous to this date, June
19, 1899, a stage of 6 feet and 6 inches higher than the present rise was recorded.
rise was recorded.
at Vincent crossing went out yes terday evening at 40 'elock. The bridge is lodged against timber below. Only two or three fee of the span of this bridge is visible above water. Water is over est town and near the West side est town and near the West side
is almost over the railing. About 200 feet of this bridge on the West side has been swung out of line. As the highest stage of the water has been reached it is
thought that no further damage will acequat no further damage ing driftwood from lodging. The railroad company has had several guards at their bridge,
but Roadmaster Love stated that he anticipated no trouble now. The wires of the Southwestern Telephone Company were in the water last night and driftwood was breaking them.
There will be but little damuge to the farms along the river because most of them are abjve high water mark. There w in to pumping stations.
No reports have
damage to any of the dams. The river began falling at the Keck farm, eight miles above at $8 \mathrm{o}^{\prime}$ clock yesterday evening. During the night it rose only six inches here.
In Dimmit, Zavalla and Uvalde counties damage to bridges and Nearly all bridges in Dimmitt county were swept away. The S. A. U. \& G. Ry. lost a big bridge across the river near L--
Pryor. In the canyons abo vPryor. In the canyons above
Uvalde many horses, cattle and goats were drowned, and there the water reached the highest stage on record. At Montell the ed 21.45 inches; $81-2$ inches at Uvalde. Rains fell all along the course of the rivers Yesterda was the ninth day that the rive had been rising continuously a this point.

MAY OPEN COLLEGE.
Prof. Earthman of Draughn' Business College is in the city and expects to open a branch college here with in the
next two weeks if a sufficient number of pupils can be had The advantage of attending a susiness college and the scholarship sold entitle one to review in any of their colleges at any time.

FLOOR OF THIS BRIGDE COMPLETELY SUBMERGED BY FLOOD.


This wagon bridge across the Nueces one mile from Cotulla is 1150 feet long and 20 feet high. Water is running around both ands and 200 feet of the trestle near the West side has been washed out, piling and all, but cables prevent it from floating off. The floor of the bridge is completely submerged. Water is now six in ines deep where the horse if standing and nearly over the railing
500 feet West of the span. The lower cross on the upper cord of the span indicates stage of water at $6 o^{\prime}$ 'eloek this 'morning. Upper cross is high water mark. Several hundred feet of west end of bridge is not visible in this picture.

## John R. Black is

## Back From Florida.

John R. Black came in Monday
Ends Life With
Ritle Bullet.
Revival Closes at Artesia Wells. from Florida where he has been
$\qquad$ Dr. Young of Big Wells, killed
Artesia, Wells, July 4th.
himself at the hotel there at six
Revival Services closed with Mr. Baving here a month ago
Minpected to go to his Id home at Griswold, Iova, but head with a $30-30$ calbre ${ }^{\text {I }}$, yday pight.June 22nd, which act to Southwest Texas! The came to Big Welis from wisiwat ibbon or flower. Brother Ramold saying that once a mandrinks came to big welis bought land along thesey gave a very impressive Nueces river water, no matter Nueces. A residence had just sermon at 11 on "Mother, Home ow far off he may stray, he been completed and his family and Heaven" which was all very will come back again, seems to were to have arrived in a shof ouching. At 3 eight converts be working with Mr. Biack as it time. The flood now going dowp vere baptised in the reservoir does with all others. Although the valley covered the land he ne mile East of school. Evening he closed out his interests in the bought and went up into his service, house was full and $\$ 92$ big Black ranch, he reserved house and he had worried consid- vas collected and presented 400 acres of river front, and is erably the past few days. It is Mr. Ramsey her hers work. now contemplating the building said that he was of a very nerv- to help on night, 23rd. Brother
Monday of a winter home on this piece of
$\begin{aligned} & \text { land. Mr. Black closed out a } \\ & \text { lasposition. } \\ & \text { E. L. Camppell of this city. Phone and Brother Kimbell }\end{aligned}$ land. Mr. Black closed out a E. Lat Big Wells at the time Missionary from Mexico had a was away and the price at which working on the gin that is now meeting at the school house it was sold of an investment. statement to the Record: He bought the land a year ago for $\$ 16$ per acre and sold it for \$45, a cash transaction: Mr. and Mrs. Ira Black and Mrs. J. R. Black made the trip
from San Antonio to Griswold Sowa, a few weeks ago. Mr
Black writes that they made good time and
without a mishap.

1180 GOATS IN
LA SALLE COUNTY
A census report has just bee published shows 11180 goats in a Salle County which are value ndata gathered by the census enumerators in o that year. The total number of goates on all the farms an ranges of Texas is $1,135,344$ and are valued at $\$ 2$ -
.21 each making a total value of $\$ 2,514,077$. Two per cent, or 79 37 of the 417,770 farms of this state raise goasts.

## WORD OF THANKS

We desire to sinc our friends for the kindness and of the death of our beloved baby homas Wheeler, Jr., The kird-
ness of many can never be for gotten.

The Family.
was away demonstrates his good being erected made the following sorry so few were present and atement to the Record:
"We had just finished a ling for Dr. Young and was workThe flood in the Nueces caused him to move out and come to Big Wells and he was stopping
at the same hotel we were. For the past two or three days he had been nervous and seemed to be worried considerably. We en-
deavored to cheer him up and : deavored to cheer him up and t
times he would seem to be in gon times he would seem to be ing went into the room occupeid d by two sons, Roy and Dent, 9 the hotel and talked to them ff quite awhile. In the convers;
he asked Dent if he had a rifl missed such a fine treat, where
he Missionary of over 20 years the Missionary of over
gave an account of his life and gave an account of his icans. He
work among the Mexian ork among the people to use every opportunity to teach the Mexican the truth, which will make them faith ful citizens and workmen. Mr. Kimbell carried with him Mr. Kimbell carried wible stories
tracts Bibles, and Be
printed in the Mexican language ready for use always. June 29th. Rev. T. N. Barton of Cotulla visited these parts
and gave two sermons which and gave two sermons which
were very effective and enjoyed were very effective and enople joined the church. Always gla joined the church. Alwar Barton.
to welcome Brother
Mr. R. C. Maxwell left Tues day for Melon for a month on business. We wish him success.
He will be rreatly missed and He will be greatly missed an
and hope he may soon return. Misses Dollie and Iris Hawkins
are visiting their sister Mrs. J. are visiting their sister Mrs.
N. Ramsey. Glad to welcome
Gasine N. Ramsese estimable young ladies in our midst.
Mr. Lee Henderson Jr. and
Will Hurly were home for a week Will Hurly were home for a week
or so from San Antonio school or so from San Ans. Success to
visiting home folks. these young men.

CHURCH NOTICE
There will be no preaching service at the Presbyterian Church
tomorrow, the pastor being abf sent at his regular appointment at Encinal. Sunday School at 9:45. You are cordially invited.
covey chapel.
Covey Chapel, July 4th.-
Those why Those who attended the barbe
cue below Cotulla were. F. S cue below Cotulla were. F. S Moffett a nd family, W. H.
Jacobs and family and Mr. and
Mre J. W. Hollaway and sou soss; Hondo were looking aft
terests here this weat.
Misses Grace Davis and Margarete Hale of Pearsall and CorOlive of San Antonio have
cturned to their homes, after o weeks visit at the Neuman anch.
Mrs. G. R. Newman and son
oy, and Mr. and Mrs. Roy, and Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Dunn motored

If It's a Wedding Present


You have in mind 2 c cept our invitation 10 inspect the many Appropriate Articles
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getting out of the rut
At last the farmers of this see－ tion are getting out of the one crop rut，and the coming seaso
will see considerable less in onions than for many year past．One disaster did not turn them；two only made them
plunge heavier，but the third of the pressnt year has run them out of the game．They are now turning their attention to thinge more certain，and five years from today there will be an entirely
different condition．The farm－ ers will not absadon the growing of onions and truck all together， limited amount so if there is no market the loss will not be felt．
The farms will be stocked with The farms will be stocked with
good cattle and goovd hoge，silos
will be erecter probability that dairying will be taken up by the farmers in the
The time has come when the irrigation farmer miust get on a
new boat or sink．He has been new bat or sink．He has been
living entirely too easy and must living entirely too easy and must go to work．A gentleman re－ conditions were partly brought about by the fact that money had been too easy，and that is no doubt true．The typical onion brower never pretended to＂live
on his farm．＂Everything ate came from the stores，in many cases even his butter and eggs， and we have seen same of them buy hay for their teams．High method，but those days are past and the farmer who would be prosperous today must economize from every standpoint and pro． duce most of the things that go on his table right at home．We
are glad to say that there are are glad to say that there are a
few farmers in the valley that few farmers in the valley that do this，but they are certainly
limited in number．

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Aead frmer hit the nail on the ＂the best way to get rich is the slow way，after all＂＂That fel low has come to the realization
that he has been playing at a
big gamble and he is now willing to buckle down to business and play a safe game．Nothing can
be surer than farming by irriga be surer than farming by irriga
tion when properly carried on the right crops raised and the utilized to the best advantage and we predict that the fellow who made the remark will recov er his losses in a very few year and be on the road to prosperity The dieaster has been over－ Wheiming，but it will awing the years we will regard it tas a blese ing instead of a calamity．

Heavy rains on the upper N re ees did considerable damage to and Sunday last and from meager eports there was great excite－ ment for awhile among the in－ menitants of the lower valley However，the faets showed the first information to be exagger ated，and the rise in the river below，resulted in no damage．
In fact no records were broken， In fact no records were broken，
and the water lacked several feet of reaching high marks of pre of reaching high marks of pre
vious years．Along this part of the valley very little damage can be done to the farms，as very lit－ tle land has been put in cultiva－ tion within the area that is annu－ ally flooded．The Nuecee has an
immense drainage territory，and mmense drainage territory，and
there is not a year passes but there is not a year passes bu
what a flood and often three or four of them passes down，an
farmers have considered it un－ farmers have considered it un
wise to plant crops where the loss was sure to be certain．

Prospects for the cotton farme is very bright in Southwes Texas，and if weather conditions are favorable the largest crop in The weather conditions produced to be much more rain，but warm dry weather，and possibiy a good rain during the latter part of
this month．Even if not anothe drop of rain falls during the sum mer，a good crop will be raised and it might be better for no rain to fall than for a contin－ uance of the weather conditions of the month just closed：In this particular section more rain would not damage the crop as it would further north in the Pear－ excessive rains have fallen three weeks past．At any rate，South－ west Texas is going to make a
west fair cotton crop，and the prospects are good for an exceptional crop．

A School of Journalism will be established at the University of Texas at the coming session． wide spread to a popular and parts of the state．Throm all Press Association of Texas，Lieu－ president of the National Press Ass ociation，and the students of the University who are interest－ ed in journalism，have been in－ establishment．The school will
elt it it be firmly intrenched upon its in－ auguration，as it is intended to structors in charge．

The recent rains did damage the streets in parts of the town time for the Council to fulfill some of the promises they have
sonfill been making．Some time ago the Record announced that work was going to begin right away，
but for some reason but for some reason，which is be－
yond our capability of even yond our capability of even gues－
sing，not a lick has been Ing，not a lick has been struck． It seems that the aims of the
Coun cil is not to do anything in－ stead of do it．

Edward Harvey，of Plano，a man who has been teaching new method of coming to college He entered the University of Texas Summer School recently，
after having ridden from his home，a distang ridden from his and fifty miles，of two hundred Rains and bad on his motoreycle his trip，but he was undaunter and registered without delay i the Summer School．Severa his home in Plainview upon his horse，camping out on the way He traveled a distance of over

The heat wave which covere
the North and East so long caus－
ed much loss of life and suffer next，but it never gets to tha

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Tramp－＇Yes＇m，I wunst had good job managing＇a hand hundry，but it fãiled on me．＂ Lady－＂Poor man！How did
it hapen to fail？＂ haplen to fail？
tome to her folks."-Chicago
coord-Herald.
Gabe-"He claims he is a de-
endant from a great family."
Steve-"Yes, and he is still
Steve-"Yes, and he is still
descending."-Cincinnati En.
quirer."
rming.

Whose house a burn＂，＂house are you going to burnal．
How near were you to the ion？＂＇ Second $\begin{gathered}\text { Stude－} \\ \text { way．＂}\end{gathered}$ Widow．
＂The Lord loveth a cheerful ＂Wer．＂quoted the Who doesn＇t？＂retorte the simple Mug．－Philadelhis

## Record．

Doctor Smart says it requires
ots of patience to run an auto
＂Well，he＇s got the patients．＂ Boston Transcript．
Father－＂You have no sense： Million．＂．
The Son－＂If you do I＇ll dis－ grace the family by riding in ${ }^{2}$
second－hand auto．＂－Philade second－hand
phia Bulletin．
號
Rose－＂＂He said he would kim
ne or die in the attempt＂＂ me or die in the atempt．
Marie＂Wel？＂＇
Rose－＇He had po life Rose－．＇He had no life mother．＂－Ohio State Sun－Dial
Parson－＂Do you know whee Parson－＂Do you know whe
little boys go to when $t$ he
smoke？ smoke？－Yes；up t
Bey－＂
Cleveland Leader．

The editor a of great magazine sent for a cer tain author who had seript
I am glad to make your ac－ quaintance，sir，＂said the editor， enthusiastically．＂The story you
sent us is perfectly spendid．But sent us is perfectly spendid．But
why use a nom de plume？Let
us publish it over your as pubish it over your own name
and it will make you famous．＂
＂I＇m not after ＂I＇m not after fame，＂objected
he author．＂Its money I want＂ ，，But you＇ll get as much money ，either case．＂
，No，I won＇t．If I publish over my name，my wife will g
the money．＇－Cleveland Dealer．
＂Why do you hate her so？＂ my husband．＂ ．＂be engaged I＂And didn＇t marry him．
＂My dear，listen to this，
exl me what you make of it！
exclamed the eldery Englis isit to the states． She held the hotel menu almos
at arm＇s length，and spoke a tone of horror． ＂Baked Indian pudding！＂ it be possible in a civilized
try？＂

## ＂Do you think an operation would pay in this case？

 ＂The operation might，but th Jack－Jack－＂Your friend Alice
he prettiest teeth I ever saw a woman＇s mouth．＂ Ethel－＂Yes，the dentist gua
anteed that there should not anteed that there sho
a finer set in town．
＂Do you have any trouble Norting your family，Rastu
No，bat mah wife expe ience some t
sibility，sah sibility，sah．＂

SOCIETIES Masonic Ledge－Cotulla Lodge o 892 A．F．\＆A．M．meets bursday night before full moon
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Carl Wildenthal，N．G．
$\frac{\text { D．L．Neeley，Sec } \mathbf{y} \text { ．}}{\text { Royal Arch Chapter No } 323}$ Royal Arch Chapter No 323 ，
meets in Masonic Hall second Monday nights in each month． W．A．Cox， $\operatorname{Sec}^{\prime} \mathbf{y}$ ．
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phat in the irrigation proposition for above will sell under its value or above reason，make me an
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## Social and Religious

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Thanks for each
silent token，
That teaches men
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事路
Mrs．N．C．Windrow entertain－ ed last Friday afternoon the 27th June in compliment to Miss Ethe Childs［the bride of this week．］ The halls，stairway，library，liv－ ing room and dining room，wer the＂ensemble＂being a ferns tive hiding place for Dan Cupid Mrs．Windrow was assisted in receiving by Mrs．Anna Pools and Mrs J．H．Gallman．Mrs Whitehead rendered severa piano selections，while the guest were assembling，after which ＂Birds Romance＂was given． Mrs．Wichmann won the priz in this contest as ahe had the the prize was a pretty water color．After this game a knoc was heard on the outer door Mrs．Windrow announced that Cupid＇s Messenger was at the door，with an Express Book，tha the honoree，Miss Childs，would have to sign before the wagon containing many gifts could be unloaded．The book was signed by the honoree，when the dainty
little Cupid＇s Messenger came in with an Express wagon well la den with the many gift of China Silver，cut glass，and fine linen， for the bride to be．The gifts were numerous and beautiful， and were received by Miss Childs with that modest sincere manner， that is one of her most charming characteristics．
The young ladies whe hopeu＇t be brides，were urshered into the ted for each；the girl whose can ded first burned out，wase can the next bride．Miss Carri Knaggs will be the next bride according to the prediction of candle＂theology．
The dish－towel contest for rap id work was won by Mrs．T．H Poole，the prize being a hand painted bowl．M is s Georgi for best workmanship
Mrs．J．C．Poole．
Mrs．J．C．Poole，Mrs．T．B Poole and Miss Ophilia Shaw of frozen cupide and cake．
The plate favors were hand painted cards，bearing the initial of bride and groom and the date the wedding．
The out of town guests were Mrs．Frank Rowk，Mises Sallie Ora and Ruby Rock［
Mrs．Miller，Houston．
Trs．Miller，Houston
This beautiful party was much
enjoyed and when goodbyes wer said，each guest left feeling ther
＂Love is ever busy with his shuttle，
Is ever weaving into life＇s dull warp，
warp，
Bright gorgeous flowers and
scenes Arcadian．＂
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girls entertain
Last Tuesday evening，the 24th
af June the Girls Missionary So of June the Girls Missionary So
ciety，entertained a number of their friends at the home of Mrs J．H．Gallman（their leader）． This party was given to th honor，little Miss Maurine Dyson A large crowd was in attendance and a merry time was had Games，interpersed with music made the time pass quickly，The music by Helen Wildenthal Ethel Poole，Ada Montgomery， and Lille Bell Herring，was en joyed，as was the ice lemonade and Are passed by

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The Presbyterian ladies had a meeting with Mise K Prell Thursday afternoon the 26 of June A large number of members with 8 or 10 visitors were made com－ fortable on the porch，where the lesson was had．After the busi－ ness session，Miss Gilmer told in ryhme of her own making，how she made the required dollar． Miss Burwell presented Mrs． Merriman，the bride of the So－ ciety and Miss Childs＂the bride each for the society．After this ach for the society．After this ＂fruit－ade＂，and nabisco wafers， vere served in the dining room． After enjoying these dainties， ach guest was given a slip with written direction，as to＂some－ hing todo＂with out saying a word．The ridiculous things hat thene dignified ladies were irected to do while not allowed otalk created a panic of laugh plished her＂feat acrobatic＂ withnut a word and won the prize；a memoranda book．This ittle diveision，helped to drive ull care away，and all felt bet－ er for it．
The next meeting will be with Mrs．Wichmann．Miss Giles wil onduct the lesson in Deuterono
$\qquad$ ＊
The Baptist Ladies continue to have splendid meetings and ex of the warm weather
The meeting with Mrs．T．B Poole on the 2Ath．of June wa well attended．The lesson is Kings was conducted by Mr Graham．The social hour wa delightful with the music provid
ed by Miss Ophilia Shaw／ans the dainty salad course which the hostess served to 16 membe and three visitors．
The visitors were Misses Rub Rock，Alice and Jessie Copp． The meeting Tuesday afterno the home of Mrs．Binkley．This was also a full meeting；and the members were pleased to th their President Mrs．Rowland with them again．Mrs．Rowland conducted the devotions，also the regular Bible lesson．These les sons become more interesting al the time，and each member feeling the spiritual and intellec－ tual benefit therefrom．After the lesson，Mrs．Binkley served her guests passed the social hour in conversation．
The visitors were Misses Lizzi Gilmer，Alice and Jessie Copp．

Miss Abbie Mae Williams o Friday evening，with compled la Fricay evening，with a 42 party
given by Misses Hettie Tarver Ella Alderman，and Pearl Evans in the home of Mrs G．E．Tarver． A large crowd of gay young folks enjoyed the music and games of 42 and Flinch until
late hour． late hour．

Mr．Frank Rock expressed hi gratitude to the editor of the have in varieus ways，encourag ed him，in his work with the Scout Boys．
He hopes to be able to accom plish much with the boys，and every possible way． The boys are requested to be the Band Stand Sunday after oon the 6th inst in full atten another Patrol．
Mr．Rock＇s absence last Su day，was caused by his illness．

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A beautiful wedding of much interest to Cotulla people, oc2nd at 9 P. M. at the home of Mrs. Hattie Childs, when Mrs. Childs gave away her daughter Miss Ethel Childs to Mr. James Hinton Daniel.

The rooms of the Childs home were beautifully decorated with ferns, and white roses; and the
lights showed to the advantage the numerous and expensive presents of cut glass, silver and linen.
The solemn marriage service pastor of the bride.
The wedding march was playe by Mrs. Whitehead sister of the white embroidered voile lover white messsaline: and carried an arm boquet of white, and pink lillies. The bride is a cultivatéd and accomplished young lady who has resided in Cotulla nearly , years; her former home was in Del Rio. She has many friends in Cotulla, who love her for her and admire her for refinement. tual ability, and industry which she has shown. Mr. Daniel is a prominent young farmer, who needs no in-
troduction to the people of this community, as he has lived here nearly all his life; and is well estalished as a young man of s gorth, and real ability. His indefatigable energy, to
gether with his real ability, ha glaced wim high as a successfu and able young man.
After congratulations were sai refreshments of ice cream, and cake were served, the happy young couple departed in a automobile for their home at Lake Grove Farm, and they carried with them the hearty con-
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 ere Mr. F. I. Childs and wife of Eagle Pass. Only members of the two families were invited.

## $8 \frac{000 e 9 e v o e v e r}{\text { Local and Personal. }}$

Jim English was here from Pearsall Thursday.
Judge C C. Thomas returne unday from Austin. M. H. Baine of Artesia was in
he city on business Tuesday Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Merrima are away on a visit at Hondo. Charlie Tarver spent sever days of this week in Artesia.
FOR SALE-Tomato plant for Fall planting.-C. B. Burwell Miss Edith Daniel is spending few days at the Cotulla ranch Miss Georgia Jay went to Fow
lerton to spend the Fourth with
Mrs. Vernon Smith is visiting at the home of Mr. Smith's nother at Pleasanton. Misses Madie and Ina Daniel are visiting at the E. A. Keck farm.
Otis Hargus returned Wednes day, after spending several days Miss Josephin
Miss Josephine Douglas o friend, Miss Fannie Wools.
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A. G. Salmon and Buck Ramsey of Artesia Week.
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Take advantage of the Clear.
ing sale now in progress at $K$ Burwells.
Mrs. R. A. Gouger and child n have returned from a brie trip to San Antonio.
Misses Lela Beezley and Hettie Tarver spent several
week in San Antonio
Mr. and Mrs John Henderson returned Wednesday from a brief visit to Devine.
See the new line of Nu: Goods now on display i"' Miss Alma T. Burwell's. Miss Alma Tarver has returned rom Laredo, after spending se
Mrs. Jas. W. Murray is at home again after an absence of several Th
weeks at New Braunfels. Mrs. E. E. Daniel and Mrs. E. E. Daniel and sister Thursday to
few weeks.
Simon Cotulla has been on 11
Simon Cotula has been on
sick list this week. Mrs. Cotul who had fever for some time now up.
is not Peters, we regret to no ce is not doing as well as he wi some time back. His is some what weaker. Carleton Storey left this morning for their ranch in Uvalde county. On account of washouts he went via Asherton.
Rev. T. N. Barton will preach row, both morning and night.


E. W. Myers is the proud fath. 1 Mra. Coleman of San Marcos. er of a bouncing boy that arriv- nee Miss Bee Thomas, was in ed at his home nine miles down Cotulla this week visiting at the the river Wednesday evening.
E. W. says he looks just like his
Thomas. E. W. says he looks just like his Thomas.
father. Mother and child are father. Mo
doing well.

Dr. J. D. Motheral, formerly of Cotulla, writes us that he has recently moved
from Bloomington to Anglet from Bloomington to Angleton in Brazoria county. He and his
brother have bought 2,000 acres brother have bought 2,000 acres
of land near Angleton, 1,000 of of land near Angleton, 1,000 of
which is under cultivation. The doctor states that he will practice medicine at his new location and his brother will look after the plantation.

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