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WEST TEXAS REPORTER

HARRY JOHNSON KILLED IN BRAZIL

Volume 1

Shot By a Native Who Was Caught Stealing Calves from Company.

WAS FORMER GRAHAM BOY they have to cover and the im-

Was a Son of Mr. Wm. Johnson of This City, Who Received News in Letter from Company.

In a letter from the Brazil Land, Cattle and Packing Co. of Sao morning, Mr. Wm. Johnson learned of the death of his son, Harry, who was employed by that company.

As stated in the letter the details of his death were meager, it appearing that he had caught a native stealing cattle and upon being taken to task for the theft shot both young Johnson and the interpreter who was with him.

Mr. Johnson had been in Brazil the past year and was one of the company's most valuable employes, as will be shown by the following excerpt from the letter:

"I wish to say to you that there was no one in the employ of the company of whom we your son. We always found him pany and to his superior officers, we can all take an equal amount and while we regret very much of praise, as individual effort employe, we appreciate to the full what the loss of a son like Harry must mean to you. Personally I can enter into your feelings, because I lost a boy of my own in sorrow this must cause you."

was killed.

Mrs. Pinckard Dead.

Mrs. Odalie Veinne Pinckard, Friday night at 11 o'clock.

Mrs. Pinckard was taken sick at Ft. Stockton about a month ago and went from there to Mineral Wells, hoping to improve in health. Instead she became worse and went to Dallas where she was 'treated in St. Paul's Sanitarium. On Thursday she was brought to Grabam and taken to the home of J. H. Woods, but her condition was such that she was unable to rally, death relieving her suffering at eleven o'clock Friday night.

The remains were tenderly laid to rest in the Oak Grove cemetery Saturday, Rev. Gaines B. Hall conducting the funeral sers

Mrs. Pinckard was 46 years old, and is survived by a sister in Henderson, Texas, and son, Emory, of this city.

The many friends of the family sympathize with the bereaved ones in their great loss.

the First Baptist Church, return- ter Ridge community brought in bany voted almost unanimously Lynch, who have been visiting blown off its foundation and bad- confined to his home for some ed Monday from Turnersville, the first bale of the season last for the tax. The tax will add relatives in the city left Tuesday ly twisted. A fairly good rain time with small pox is able to be where he conducted a successful Friday. He was given an extra about \$15,000 to the road fund for Albany. They went through accompanied the wind. Newcas- up, and will be out in a few revival meeting.

CLEAN UP JUDGES

ARE AT WORK

The city judges in the clean up campaign, Messrs. John Pohlman, J. P. McKinley and Horace L. Tidwell, started inspecting yesterday. It will be possibly two or three days before the work is completed, as the area mense amount of work necessary will take several days.

A number of places in the city have been cleaned off and then swept with a broom and it will be a hard matter to judge just who has the cleanest place. Conamong the residents of the city kind of business at the same old stand." for the first prize, not so much for its intrinsic value, but for the knowledge of having the clean-

magazine and urge those who have not yet cleaned up their premises to do so as early as convenient, as the State inspectors are now at work and as we do not know just when they will reach Graham it is better to be prepared for them when they do

present state of cleanliness.

Revival at Connor Creek.

Rev. Gaines B. Hall returned Monday from Connor Creek where the same way and I know what he assisted Rev. C. M. Dellinger given proper burial and that a with five additions to the Presby- and Mrs. Snow of Dallas will their home on South Cherry St. dated July 29, but did not state ing and the people of the com- number of young ladies at the and Nora Oatman of Waco. the exact date on which Harry munity were highly pleased with efficances who will furnish you covers were faid for eight couthe results. Rev. Hall is an earn- with your tag and number. Every ples and several game were en-The entire citizenship of Gra- est worker and other denomina- one will be tagged. ham sympathizes with Mr. John- tions never have cause to com- Following the rally Deacon M. Oatman winning the prize, a nice crowd of young people enjoyed a son and his family in their sad plain at his work as he extends H. Wolfe of Dallas, one of our box of chocolates. a former resident of this city, ministers and such ministers, it which time both Deacon Wolfe Everyone present had a most en- o'clock arriving at the bridge but lately of Ft. Stockton, Tex., matters not what his creed, will and Rev. Snow will speak. Sun- joyable evening and the hostess about dusk. After strolling over died at the home of J. H. Woods always find their efforts attended day evening, beginning at 8 was the recipient of thanks from the bridge for a short time a dewith success.

The Priscilla Club.

were busy as usual. All were Sunday. glad to have the disabled members back again.

Dot Graham, Annie Kramer and ment. Don't miss a service. Mrs. Snoday.

Mrs. Karl Widmayer will be hostess next week, honoring her sister from Missouri.

Graham's First Bale.

premium of \$27.00.

Community Cooperation

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The Small Town Merchant and Advertising.

Until recently the average merchant in the towns and smaller cities has thought that money spent in advertising was an investment of doubtful profit. Everybody in the community, the territory from which his trade must come, already knew he was in business, knew what sort of goods he sold and on what terms. If he did any advertising at all it was a kind of general announcement in the spring, Paulo, Brazil, received Tuesday siderable rivalry has been shown and again in the fall, that he was still "doing the same

> But a few progressive spirits in very recent years have come alive to the fact that the small-town merchant can use advertising space to advantage. In fact, many of We believe Graham will win them are doing it, and their number is increasing. I know the prize offered by Holland's of one dry goods firm in a town of 4,000 people that plans this case with a great deal of each year to spend from \$1,000 to \$1,200 in advertising

a sum equal, if not greater than, the salary of any one of their salesmen. Their manager considers his advertising space his most efficient salesman, and his advertisements each week are prepared with rare care and judgment.

For \$20 or \$25 a month any merchant in a small town can use half a page in his local paper, or a quarter-page frightened and ran into the wire of them finding our premises un- in proportion, and change his advertisement each week. fence around George Terrell's He can thus, with no great expense, send into a thousand garden A number of citizens have ex- homes in his trade territory each week a convincing, busithought more or in whom we had pressed their opinion that the ness-pulling message; for there is hardly a town in the more confidence than we had in city is cleaner now than it has Southwest of 2,000 population but has at least one paper the buggy at the time. The Akers had gone to California. ever been in the past, and we can truthfully say that it is mighty of 1,000 or more circulation. There is no other means by horse began turning the buggy a loyal employe, both to the com- clean. If we win the the prize which he can get such a message into those homes for as and Mrs. Reynolds thought by little cost. And fifty-two such messages, conscientiously jumping out she could hold him tion papers were issued and he the loss of a loyal and trusted is what has brought us to the lived up to, can not fail to pay for themselves over and better, but he proved too great a over during the year in added profits.

Rally Day and Educational Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Mabry

his invitations to the people to greatest layman workers, will de- At a late hour delicious ice neck bridge Saturday night, Mr. profess Christ then unite with liver an address. Sunday after- cream and cake were served by and Mrs. B. W. King acting as the church of their choice. Peo- noon at 4 o'clock we expect to the hostess assisted by her chaperons. ple admire this liberal spirit in have a great mass meeting, at daughter, Mrs. R. F. Short. The float left town about seven o'clock we expect another feast all present.

others will speak. Mrs. F. M. Burkett entertained 10 o'clock sharp, the program liams of San Angelo, Bessie ter the lunch the games of dropthe Priscillas and other friends will be taken up again, at which Finch, Ethel Gilmore and the ping the handkerchief, she cackat her attractive suburban home time we will have some interest- honorees; Messrs. Rex Cornish, led, etc., were enjoyed by all. Tuesday. Miss Mary Ellen re- ing and instructive addresses, and R. F. Short, Byrd Wood, Mabry ceived the guests and escorted again Monday evening at 8:15. Short, J. C. Rickman, Seth Mathem to the cool conservatory If we have an afternoon meeting bry and Dan Cusenbary. where the fancy work fanatics Monday it will be announced

Mrs. Burkett, assisted by her brethren and sisters from of the birth of a ten pound boy, daughters and Miss Dot Graham, churches all over the county will who came to brighten their home served in luncheon style, "Har- come and enjoy this program on the 18th. He has been named vard" salad, Walton sandwiches, with us. Special emphasis will James Graham. celery and iced tea, after which be given in these discussions to vocal numbers by Miss Graham stewardship, the scriptural plan were enjoyed. Guests: Misses of giving and the layman's move-

W. D. Boswell, Pastor.

county last Saturday the special space to tell it. road tax of fifteen cents on the of the county. - Graford Herald. 'in Mr. Vick's car.

Don't fail to be on hand Sun- From eight-thirty to twelve in a meeting. Rev. Hall states day morning at 9:30 for the big o'clock last Thursday night Mr. The letter further assures Mr. the meeting was quite successful, Sunday School Rally at the Bap- and Mrs. R. E. Mabry entertain- buggy, but otherwise they all es-Johnson that the remains were there being several professions, tist church. Rev. J. H. Snow ed a number of Young people at railing would be placed around terian church and one to the make addresses. Help us reach with a progressive "42" and rook the grave and that it would be Methodist. All denominations the 400 mark in Sunday school party, the occasion being in honproperly marked. The letter was took an active part in the meet- next Sunday. There will be a or of their nieces, Misses Mand

of good things. Mr. Wolfe and Those present were Mr. and ing of fried chicken, sandwiches, Monday morning, beginning at Alta and Fay Parsons, Inez Wil- ad, croquets; cake and fruit. Af-

R. L. Tankersley returned home from Old Mexico, where he has been for some time looking up real estate matters. Bob says community was visited by a wind he wont tell us every place he At the election in Shackelford has been as it would take to much

POOL HALL ELECTION SATURDAY AUGUST 30

A petition was submitted to the Commissioners Court at its last sitting, asking for an election for the Graham Independent School District, to ascertain whether or not pool halls, billiard halls, etc. would be allowed to remain in the city of Graham.

The petition was granted and election ordered for Saturday, August 30.

An election of the same kind was recently held at Olney and the pool halls were voted out as has been the case in nearly every an election was recently held an lives near Murray. injunction was granted whereby the constitutionality of the law was attacked, and owners of pool halls are awaiting a decision in

A Runaway Accident.

What came very near being a serious accident occurred last Friday evening when Mrs. Cleburne Reynolds' horse became

her mother, Mrs. J. C. Casburn, with her son Randolf, were all in State. In the mean time Mr. running straight into the fence. The buggy did not turn over, but the force of hitting the fence ages for malicious prosecution. threw Mrs. Casburn and the baby out, but not seriously hurting Kay & Akin and C. Fay Mareither. Mrs. Reynolds sprained shall. her ankle in jumping from the caped uninjured except bruises. The horse was severely cut on

the neck and shoulders and it was necessary to take several stitches. Newcastle Register.

Moonlight Picnic.

In honor of Misses Nora and joyed by the guests, Miss Maud Maud Oatman of Waco, quite a moonlight picnic on the Goose-

licious lunch was spread consist-Mrs. Walter Douglass, Misses olives, pickles, stuffed eggs, sal-

At a late hour the crowd started for home having had a most enjoyable evening.

The following were there: Mr. The many friends of Mr. and and Mrs. B. W. King, Misses Everybody is cordially invited Mrs. J. R. McCarroll of Bullard, Alta and Fay Parsons, May to all these meetings. We hope Texas will learn with pleasure Hunter, Frances Hamilton, Inez Williams of San Angelo, Maud and Nora Oatman of Waco; night are attracting good crowds Messrs. Rex Cornish, Edd Rehder, Osear Huie, Tom Alford, Mabry Short, Bruce Summers and Dan Cusenbary.

Storm at Rabbit.

Tuesday evening the Rabbit storm that did considerable damage to ontbuildings. A barn on the Mott place was blown down, also one on the Reynolds ranch, soldiers. \$100 valuation was carried by a Mrs. Ellis Richardson, Mrs. J. and several others were unroofed. tle Register.

SUIT FOR \$10,000 FILED IN DIST. COURT

Morris Woods, Retired Financier of Murray is Defendant.

H. P. AKERS IS PLAINTIFF

Charges Woods Maliciously Prosecuted Him and Asks Large Damages.

A suit for \$10,000,00 damages was filed in the District Court small place where elections have Monday against Mr. Morris been held. In one town where Woods, a retired financier, who

> The suit was filed by H. P. Akers and grew out of a prosecution of Mr. Akers in the last term of the District Court, wherein he was prosecuted for removing mortgaged mules from the State. The verdict of the jury who tried him was "not guilty."

In the spring of 1912, according to the testimony in the trial of Mr. Akers, he had mortgaged some mules to Mr. Woods, and with the consent of Woods, left with the mules for New Mexico. In a short time Mr. Woods pro-Mrs. Reynolds and baby and ceeded against him for removing mortgaged property from the The grand jury returned and indietment against him, extradiwas brought back to Graham by Deputy Sheriff Finis Burnett. His trial resulted as above stated. Mr. Akers now asks for dam-He is represented by Attorneys

Graham School Notes.

The Graham Public Schools will open Tuesday morning, Sept. 9, at 9 o'clock. Owing to the fact that the new building will not be quite completed there will be no formal opening on the first day as is our custom, but when the building is finished we shall have appropriate exercises and give everyone an opportunity to look through the building.

The different grades will occupy the same rooms that were used last year until the building is completed. The contractor will finish the building as soon as possible. He would have had it ready for the opening of school had the material been available.

The pupils that have no doubt as to their grades should secure their books as soon as convenient. Mr. Gay has a number of books on hand now and hopes to have all that will be needed before the opening of school. We hope to be able to give a synopsis of the course of study next week.

> EDGAR MCLENDON, Supt. of Schools.

The band concerts on Friday the music is excellent and the people seem to enjoy getting together. An added feature of the concerts is the serving of ice cream cones by the ladies of the Daughters of the Confederacy. They will serve cream again next Friday night, so be prepared with your nickels. The money goes to assist the Daughters in erecting a monument to the Confederate

Rev. W. D. Boswell, pastor of Mr. J. C. Copeland of the Cen- safe majority. The city of Al- C. Lynch and Miss Geraldine The Rabbit school house was Mal M. Wallace, who has been

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Weather for August.

1 to 4, damp period; 5 to 9, hot period; 10 to 14, showers; 15 to 20, advanced heat; 21 to 24, storm period; 25 to 28, cool wave; 29 to 31. thunder storms.

in Graham on Wednesday, Sep- their opinions. It matters not The mayor of San Antonio ex- some mule colts and told me and tember 3. The talks by the whether they accord with our tended to us all the hospitalities Jack Washburn and Dan Pratt specialists who will accompany own, so long as they tend to ben- that the great city possesses and and Mr. Duckworth to come to this train will commence at 8:30 efit the citizenship of this section the great bands rendered some the front. I think that picture in the morning, and while this is of the state. an early hour to invite -you to come to Graham, yet this train is operated for your especial benefit and we trust you will avail yourself of this opportunity to learn the advantages of silos, and the kind of feed to raise to put in them. The information you will glean from the visit of this train will cost you nothing except a little energy to get here and we feel it will be time well spent.

newsy letters from our corres- Worth Record. pondents and we wish to assure them that they are very much appreciated by the readers of the paper as well as the editor. We would like to have an expression convention of the Farmers Edufrom some of our readers as to cational and Co-operative Union what they think of the many nice were the following: County delletters sent in each week from egates, Judge Fry, A. H. Jones, the various communities. In or- I. B. Padgett, Mr. Young, C. W. der to offer our correspondents as Junker, A. P. Stewart and G. C. much encouragement as possible Boyle. Local delegates from and to further convince them that Lone Oak 1002, A. P. Stuart and their efforts are appreciated we Dan Orr. Owing to press of would like to have as many of business Judge Fry and Messrs. our readers as will write us a Jones and Padgett could not go short letter and tell us what they so we put Bro. E. B. Moreland think of the correspondent's de- of Olney in the Judge's place, partment.

ates the efforts of its readers in call nor a meeting and was tobringing about helpful discus- gether to the end. sions, and one of our good farm- . We had the pleasure of hearer friends submits some ques- ing the report from Mr. Williams tions, asking that they be dis- and Mr. Ousley which was truly this paper. We would like to up report. These gentlemen didn't invited to participate in this dis- east to study the condition of the cussion. Here are the questions: manufacturers and producers, "Is the present destructive drouth and their method of finance, -ruon the cotton crop a blessing or ral credits and co-operation. It otherwise? Do you think it was was a very comprehensive report sent for a purpose, and if so, and they did themselves proud. would appreciate a free discus- to them and I predict that great sion of these questions, both from good will come out of this trip.

the man who asked them and They were gone three months they had dragged those chairs, use them as you see fit.

bound to admit that it is capital Woodson Record.

never succeed there will be a cer- ter citizens. tain measure of good result from I could tell you many more Duckworth and we proceeded to thing. It will correct evils, es- at some other time. tablish good, assist the meritor- As to our trip we were routed of Jacksboro to take a picture of ious, hinder the barmful and if over the Katy and they certainly father and mother and the chilrightfully handled, will accom- left nothing undone to make our dren and their families, then one We want to again call the at- plish more than any one factor trip pleasant and all the em- of G. W. Pratt and his six boys. tention of our farmer friends to in our government. We like to ployes of the road were courte- and then one of the whole crowd. the silage special which will be have our correspondents express ous and obliging.

> Good roads are a saving to the merchant, the farmer and the ranchman. Careful investigation has proven that the saving to all concerned in the building of good roads will more than pay for the construction and maintenance-

What stronger argument of reason is necessary in order to induce Texas people to make their state the leader in the matter of and their families. good improved public highways? We are proud to see so many They are the trump cards. Fort

Our Trip to San Antonio.

Delegates to the San Antonio and he, C. W. Junker and myself were given seats in the conven-The Reporter always appreci- tion. Neither of us missed a roll

cussed through the columns of a very elaborate and ably gotten have you tell him and, just what betray the trust confided in them you think about them. Our cor- by our Order and our Governor respondents and all readers are when they were sent to the far what purpose?" The editor We are under lasting obligations

West Texas Reporter the man who asked them and They were gone three months they had dragged those chairs, the general public. The columns and made all haste they could you know. There were three taof The Reporter are open to you, without slighting their work. I bles and I think Mrs. Addie Pratt cannot in this article tell you made a hand at all three of them. one-fourth of the report but you After dinner we took two car The West Texas Reporter ed- can get it in full in the Ft. Worth loads of them to South Bend for itor seems to have hubbed it with Record. It would have done you some cold drinks, but we failed one of his correspondents. Al- good to have heard that forceful to get them, as they were out of though we are opposed to disrup- and eloquent speaker, Mr. Ous- ice, so we came back to Larry's tion in the news family, we are lev, address us after reading this and talked over old times and fireading. Brer Kesseler doesn't report. He is a gentleman of nally time for separation came have it all his way, either. letter and culture and made as and we were invited to the sitfine talk as I ever heard. He ting room and the family sang Nope, we don't have it all our told us many good things and "God Be With You 'Til We Meet not by a long shot. And if answered all questions to the sat- Again," and prayer was offered we did, our correspondent would isfaction of all. It will pay any- by Parley Pratt, then we started not have had to spend so much one that is not taking the Record to the home of G. W. Pratt near energy on his proposition. But to get it and read the report and Eliasville. no matter what our differences, then join the Farmers Union and The next day was spent on the we were both trying to accom- get the benefits of eo-operation old reunion ground, where dinner plish the same thing, and if we in bnying and selling and be bet- was spread on the grandstand

the discussion. Publicity is the good things and may come back eat, drink and be merry. Again

fine music for us; we were treat- ought to sell for enough to pay ed royally by them and will long the expenses of the whole thing. old city and a very large one, it before for fourteen years. has many points of interest, and I wish that every boy and girl could go over the ground that I did and have as kind and as well posted a guide as I had for their young minds could grasp and retain things that in after years at Graham, in the State of Texas. would be very valuable to them-

In conclusion please accept our thanks for the many kindnesses shown us at San Antonio, by the Katy railroad, the Fort Worth Record, Mr. Williams and Mr. Ousley personally, and by the best county paper in Texas, The West Texas Reporter.

G. C. BOYLK.

Pratt Family Reunion.

It was the pleasure of the undersigned to be present at the family reunion of G. W. Pratt. They met on Aug. 12 at the home of L. M. Pratt. The old folks had all their children together: Chester Pratt-of Ralls; Parley Pratt and family of Waco; Finley Pratt and family of Eliasville; Wm. Pratt and family of Woodson; Mrs. Eula Duckworth and John Pratt, the first and only anto shover in this part of Texas; National Bank notes out-Miss Hettie Pratt; a brother, Dan Pratt and wife of Ranger, and Mrs. Ida Hancock of Lacassa.

When we began to meet af L. M. Pratt's we found him out in the yard popping popcorn and of course we thought that was what we were going to have for dinner, as some of them said Larry had been out there popping corn all night. But let me tell you, Mr. Editor, about 12 o'clock Mrs. Mollie Pratt and Grandma Woods had their say. I saw they were dragging all the chairs on the place towards the kitchen and they walked us all off the way they had carried the chairs and my! sonny, there were fourteen fried chickens and all sorts of good things, and after thanks were returned by Parley Pratt we proceeded to see what we could do for Larry and your humble servant made a good hand. Chester Pratt, the second son of G. W. Pratt and wife, the family did not know him when they got him out of the dining room, he had grown so. They all got through dinner and they heard an auto horn and looked out and here came Dan Pratt and his whole force from Ranger, adding about ten more to the crowd. This was more than Larry could stand, so he took his gun and started out through the field and we were uneasy about him, but

There were forty of them with myself. I counted one

he came back in an hour or so

grinning and said he had just as

well grin and endure it.

and thanks were offered by Mr. after dinner they got Mr. Price They said they wanted to wean

remember the warm welcome It was a happy meeting, as they accorded us .- As it is an they have not all been together

C. D. YANCEY.

No. 5897.

Report of the condition of

THE GRAHAM NATIONAL BANK

the close of business Aug. 9, 1913.

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RESOURCES	
Loans and Discounts \$	74,376.08
Overdrafts, secured and un- secured	11,540.18
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation	12,500.00
Premiums on U. S. Bonds	125.00
Banking house, Furniture and Fixtures	8,669.34
Due from National Banks (not reserve agents)	11,143.65
Due from state and Private Banks and Bankers	1,324.16
Due from approved reserve agents	38,149.74
Checks and other cash items	727.84
Notes of other Nat'l Banks	-705.00
Fractional paper currency. nickels and cents	. 50.65
Lawful money reserve in bank, viz;	
Specie	7,771.00
Redemption fund with U.S.	

Capital stock paid in . \$ 50,000,00 penses and taxes paid ndividual deposits subject

State of Texas, County of Young, ss , Chas. Gay, cashier of the abovenamed bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief-

CHAS. GAY, Cashier. Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15th day of August, 1913.

Correct—Attest: J. W. Akin, R. J. Johnson, F. P. Burch, Directors

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Going to Buy a Watch This Fall?

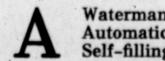
If so, it will pay you to get my prices and see the complete assortment I have. Not necessary to send away when you can buy from a home man who will not mislead you. Everything sold at my store is guaranteed to give satisfaction.

Watches Repaired Here Cive Satisfaction

J. L. Woods

Jeweler and Optician

The Right Pen, and the one YOU should use is



Fountain Pen

They Are Guaranteed by us.

Always ready to write—Easy to re-fill USE FOUNTAIN PEN INK Graham Printing Company



Are Your Clothes **Becoming to You?**

If not you had better be coming to us.

We've got the coming styles. We've got becoming fabrics. Our clothes are tailored to order. They're tailored to perfection.

Our prices are remarkably low in comparison with our work. Absolute satisfaction is guaranteed.

Mabry & Pummill

To the Citizens of Texas.

If the South desires to be a free, prosperous people now is the time for action. They are offered the opportunity and they have the means in their hands. Remember setting and stablizing the price of cotton is a battle between the people of the South and the speculator.

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of war at their command (the finances of the world and the by asking for credit, for we will organization to use it.) The absolutely not make one single South has all the ammunition, the spot cotton, they can place it in the hands of the enemy or keep it for their own guns. This is the question to decide; will greatest factors in our country. they commit financial, moral and social suicide, or will they live and prosper? It is up to them.

The Southern States Cotton Corporation has furnished the weapons of war, it has the road clear-everything in readiness and standing ready for the ammunition-cotton. The country banks and merchants should not wait for the farmer to do it allit is as much their business to get a good price for cotton as it is the farmers. Many of the banks and merchants are actively contracting cotton. Some are furnishing the contracting fees and taking the duplicate contract good local newspaper. He also needs as collateral security. Some are a paper of GENERAL NEWS and for contracting large quantities and guaranteeing their customers to fill them.

The plan is so simple and plain no one need misunderstand it. It is the same as placing the cot- er and his family just what they need ton in a wareflouse or commis- in the way of a family newspaper. In sion house and borrowing three- addition to its general news and agrifourths of its value except it is sold to the Corporation, and the for holding it off the market in a business way. The people, as a legal association, are doing it in send The Semi-Weekly Farm News place of each individual acting blindly in the matter. Let each man reading this article make up that can't be beat, and you will secure his mind to do all in his power. It is time to lay aside quibbling and indifference and go to work.

I hope the press will consider he importance of action and publish this letter, also the enclosed one from the directors and enter the South.

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do so. We can furnish banks of baths, houses and palaces were and merchants with contracting also laid bare, and practically the books, call for them.

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Prof. Hiram Bingham, head of the Yale Peruvian expedition, has returned to this country, having conducted extensive exploration work chiefly at Manchu Picchu, the Inca city discovered on a previous exploration journey. The jungle was Our doors are open for all who cleared away and more than one hunwish to investigate come and dred caves were discovered. Ruins entire city uncovered. Owing to opposition on the part of President A few farmers say their cotton Billinghurst and his congress, Prowill not allow them to sell intend to return to Peru in the near

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The News from our County Correspondents

Salem.

in evidence here now and visit- some time I will try to give some ing, reading, fishing, and bath- news from this community. ing parties are the order of the The Methodist meeting closed day. With cool nights and not last Thursday night. very warm days it is good weath- Sunday school at 10 o'clock fine time generally.

King cotton is still standing at 4 p. m. Everybody come. the seige but he is hardly pressed The singing at E. T. Slater's and is drawing in his lines daily. Sunday night was well attended It is feared if it don't rain soon and enjoyed by all he will have to abdicate and lose Miss Ruth Littlejohn left Monthat circlet of gold that is so day for her home in Mertens.

is the mecca of the fisherman. It and a jolly time reported. they are fatter and better than Slater Sunday. those in the Clear Fork .- Friday Ed Jordan was in our communevening Bill Gilmore brought ity Sunday. down a small seine and in less

trade for anything

here visiting his parents,

inger after a hard day's dicker- G. W. Slater is building a

ing traded ponies recently. Rob Henderson has-been work-this place. ing for parties on the Clear Fork. Misses Ida McBee and Rosa

ing and prospecting here. Hope Garnett Ramsey. he will be suited and locate.

Miss Maye Gilmore is spendalso Miss Grace Gibson.

K. Criswell and family and Mrs. Mrs. Crawford, were shopping in Mollie Dowdle and children of Graham Friday. Ft. Worth spent Sunday with A. J. McLaren and family.

Say, did the rest of you news gatherers notice how deftly Plow Boy pidgeon-holed the doctor, but when the doctor gets out of all those cobwebs Plow Boy had better flee to the moun-

Hansford Hatfield returned Monday from Wichita Falls Mrs. Hinson is spending the

week with her parents. Mrs. H. L. Ribble and Mrs. S.

H. Tipton visited Mrs. J. Kisinger Friday.

Miss Johnnie Graves is visiting her sister here, Mrs. Dee Howery. Will Prior of Flat Rock was with the fishing party here Friday. Will is a boss diver.

Messrs. Geo. Gilmore, Godfrey Smith and Haywood Gordon with their families and Rob Henderson and sister Nannie left Monday for an extended visit to relatives in Eastland county.

D. G. Hinson and wife are visiting here.

Well, the word visit and its derivatives are worn thread bare so I will quit lest the dictionary

Orth.

rise up against me. SALEMITE.

I have got back from Jack county, where I was for two weeks visiting friends and relatives and had a good time.

I understand S. R. Jettery has three silos done and is filling them with kafir corn. He is running three binders and ten or twelve wagons, His machines cut three tons an hour.

Dago, I saw that rain 339 miles northeast of here last Friday night, and if you go after it please bring it back by Orth.

Haven't had time to collect any news since I got home.

Veterinary Surgeon.

N. B. Blevins of Loving will answer all calls promptly when in need of veterinary aid. Call over Independent phone.

ply to Arnold & Arnold

-Red Top.

The prairie schooner is much As I have been absent for

er to live in and we are having a next Sunday, services at 11 by Bro, Black. Also Sunday school

The party at J. J. Dowdy's It appears that the Clear Fork Friday night was well attended

is so at least with those who Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Bridges don't know there are plenty of and Miss Dora McBee took dinfish in the main Brazos and that her with Misses Eureta and Mary

Misses Emmie Walker, Mabel than two hours time we raked Graves, -Isla Rutherford, Vera out 75 pounds and worked only Dowdy and Ada Workman, Charlie and Dee Osborn, Bruce Bur-A. N. Gordon and family have ton, Ed Jordan and Homer Brigreturned from a trip on the Red ham took dinner with Teague Littlejohn Sunday.

See George Martin if you have Bruce Burton and Ruth Littleanything to trade or want to john took supper with Miss Ada Workman.

Bruce Gibson of Crowell is A number of young people vis ited the coal mines in Loving

"large" barn which will improve

Mr. Carter of Gorman is visit- Dowdy spent Sunday with Miss

Grandpa Slater is improving. Lem Bryant and Harris Cuning her vacation with homefolks, ningham visited in Graham Mon-

A. C. Anderson and family, T. Mrs. E. T. Slater and mother,

Miss Ida McBee took dinner hurt. with Miss Rosa Dowdy Sunday. Bro. Noble held services at quite sick last week. Grandpa Barrett's Friday afternoon and a large crowd attended. night with Mr. Robbins. SPINSTER MAID.

Hawkins Chapel.

Mrs. T. F. Harman and children visited Mrs. Miller at West on account of so many being ab-Fork last week.

Mr. Floyd and family of Parker county have been visiting Mrs. telephone on the Southwestern Floyd's mother, Mrs. Baker line today. They returned home the first

Mrs. Ben Barrett has returned from a visit to her sister in Ver-

Miss Eunice Miller of West Fork is visiting friends and relatives here this week.

The meeting is in progress at the meeting.

Mrs. Baker Monday. Miss Ada Sauter is visiting he

sister, Mrs. Will Lawrence. away on a visit.

The Misses Cunningham and brother and sister, Mrs. Barrett, of Vernon, are expected Sunday for a visit to relatives here.

Rube Loftin and family of know. West Fork visited relatives here Saturday night and Sunday.

Miss Corrine Stephens was the

Mrs. Laura Baker entertained pure soda water. the children and some young and old people with a cream supper Monday evening.

Mrs. Loftin attended preaching at Farmer Sunday.

The Sunday school was good, with splendid interest Sunday.

Ollie Baker has returned from Parker county.

Tuesday. VIOLET.

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Flat Rock.

No rain yet; we are almost afraid to have a fire, it's so dry. Most everyone has been attend- attendence. ing the meeting at Conner Creek

which closed Sunday night. Miss Maggie Corley was sick ty. the past week, but was able to attend church at Conner Creek old enjoyed a moon-light picnic

visited in Graham Big-Monday.

Chapel is visiting Miss Lona enjoyed the occasion splendidly. Corley this week.

ternoon with Mrs. Corley.

Padgett visited from Saturday next year. till Monday with C. J. Cook.

but was able to attend church day night.

ers, seven in number, went to Garvin Waco Bend to fish. We were - Arthur Hays of Springtown is nine. Misses Louella and Zora Wade, Maggie and Amanda Moren were welcome visitors at the camp Wednesday afternoon. ping with Lon Stephens' folks. Clyde Creager and sister. Miss some good songs sung. Mr. Creager gave us plenty of watermelons to eat, for which we were thankful. But that doesn't sound like fish, does it? We had a few messes of fish and lots of fun. We started for home Friday about

Miss Myrtle Moore returned Saturday night from an extended

2 o'clock, hoping to go again

visit with her brother in Chico. Mrs. Graves spent Wednesday with Mrs. Burton.

Misses Lona Corley and Aman-

da Moren visited Miss Georgia The little Graves girls visited

friends in Graham. Arthur Poserii was thrown

from a horse Monday and badly Little Mattie Corene Cook was her.

Miss Maggie Corlex is visiting her brother this week.

Mrs. E. H. Corley visited with Grandma Posern Friday.

There was no Sunday school

R. W. J. Parsons will put in a

Jean.

Well, Mr. Editor, I presume you think because of our long absence from these columns that your representative in this town has "dried up and blown away," and if this hot weather continues Bethel, Rev. Nard conducting -well, you may hear of our neighbors singing "The face that Mrs. T. E. Harman visited never returned." We are not as particular as the old man that prayed for rain, but wanted it las county. sizzly-sozzly. We would be glad Mrs. Bagley and children are to get it any old way, just so we have time to get Jane and the little Busters into the storm cellar. To be sure, yours thuly would go along with them so they wouldn't-be lonesome, you

We are sorry to report Emmet Willis quite sick with typhoid fever. It has been our boast that guest of her grandparents Tues- typhoid was unknown in our community because of our deep,

> Henry Sparks has been quite sick for several weeks, but is now convalescent.

Mrs. Andy Isbell is spending a week with relatives in Jacksboro. Mrs. Weems is entertaining her neice, Mrs. Loader, of Dallas.

Webb Wallace and family, J. W. Wallace and son Paul and Mr. Bagley went to Graham Claude Cox of Petrolia spent the the sick list. week with relatives here. M. T. Wallace of Gatesville and Miss Myrtle Wallace of Graham were

> R. H. Gray and wife visited in these parts now. Monday. BUSTER.

Briar Branch.

The Holiness meeting is in progress this week with a good

On account of breakdowns the thresher is still in the communi-

The people both young and last Wednesday night on the Mrs. Emma Cook and children grassy flat near the Briar Branch crossing. Several gallons of ice Miss Amanda Moren of Henry cream were made and every one

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Stephens Mrs. Graves spent Friday af- spent the last of last week at their new home they are improv-Mr. and Mrs. Gaines and Mr. ing in the Indian Mound commuand Mrs. Shipley and son of nity. They expect to move there

Quite a number of people from Mrs. Nettie True has been sick town attended services here Sun-

Miss Pearl Gallaher spent Sat-Last Tuesday a bunch of Rock- urday night with Miss Willie

joined Wednesday by a crowd of visiting E. H. Rowe and family. John Wadley's folks visited in Tonk Valley Saturday and Sun-

The Holiness people are stop-Hoping to be able to inform Ida, furnished some dandy music Dago of his strayed property Wednesday night and there were next week I will close and go look for same.

Lower Tonk.

The revival meeting started Friday night at Lower Tonk.

Miss Jewell Moore was the guest of Miss Hallie Gray Sun-

Mr. and Mrs. John Wadley visited at Bill Wadley's Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Maude Clark took dinner with Miss Effic Wadley Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Jones visited Lee Jones Sunday.

Mrs. Hamilton and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Hill-were visiting G. W. Gowens and cousin. Mrs. Phariss last week.

Mrs. Moore visited her daughter across the river Sunday. Mrs. George's son is visiting

Mrs. Lakeway and granddaughter were at church Sunday. Messrs. Phariss, Gowens and Hill went fishing Friday and caught a few. Mr. Hill says he will never forget the Brazos Riv-

Miss Alma George has been right sick for the past week. Bruce George was at church

George Wadley returned from Temple. HAPPY GIRL.

Cedar Creek.

We are sorry to report Mrs. A. Rickles still quite sick, but hope for her speedy recovery.

I. W. Steele and family, H. J. Cretsinger and daughters left Thursday for Lipan to attend the Baptist Association.

Mrs. T. B. Wyatt and children. are spending the latter part of the month with relatives in Dal-

Mrs. George Wyatt is quite ill. S. M. Gann was a caffer at the Round Mountain Sunday. A number of our people were

trading in Graham Monday. Lila Ritchey, who has been on

the sick list several weeks, is im-J. T. Alford and wife visited

Lewis Rickles Sunday. B. P. Gann has ordered two

pecks of Diamond Dye. Surely Pink is not going to dye his hair. B. P. Ritchey and nephew were Ivan visitors Wednesday.

Mrs. Reed says Jesse Upham is death to chickens when there are any loose racks around. We wonder what she means by that?

If it doesn't rain here soon the people will have to go to Gulf of Mexico for drinking water.

Mrs. Bill Sweeney is still on

J. Y. Dendy of the Fox Hollow vicinity did some good work here last week with his hay baler. Mumps is the order of the day

B. P. Gann and family will SILVER BELL,

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Dakin.

Hello, how in the world are ing this hot weather just fine. Have been on the go and eating looked for rain comes. all the good stuff I can find.

29th of July. Cotton won't be very good if .it continues dry. theirs gathered.

Miss Jenevia Bryan of Indian night. Mound has been visiting her Miss Juanita Bryan and her there. home Thursday by Miss Juanita day Bryan who returned Saturday.

town Friday afternoon their Commas. horse became frightened at an

Misses Myrtice and Lila Belle would be better. Mrs. L. H. Chambers.

out west.

Miss Hattie Belle Reed called A collection was taken Sunday afternoon.

at Rocky Mound this week.

Miss Lilla Belle Findley spent class. Sunday with Mrs. S. L. Craig. church Thursday night.

his hog tank; guess he thinks it visitors at our Sunday school. is going to rain.

Curtice Findley were at the band Red Top. concert Friday night.

Ft. Worth and other points.

Friday night from Oklahoma Austin Bird Sunday. where she has been visiting relatives for several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Josh Moore at-

How many of you good look-

I noticed some of you are dis- days with her father. cussing the way a girl should ride a horse-astride, of course, is the best way.

day for Ft. Worth where she has Frazier. accepted a position with the Collins Art Co.

Messrs. Clarence and Douglas Orth: Blount, Misses Ethel Beaty and ing near Dakin Sunday evening.

L. J. Bryan and J. H. Reed returned to the thresher Sunday. Several from here attended church at Rocky Mound Sunday night, among whom were W. C. Reed and family, T. D. Findley and daughter, Lilla Belle, Mrs. A. J. Bryan and daughter, Juanita, Elmer and Robert Garrett and Curtice Findley. BLONDIK.

Oakland.

we wish him all kinds of good

Mrs. Jennie Craig visited Mrs.

Miss Mamie Keplinger visited

There is talk of a meeting be-

Misses Fay and Flo Whitfield

were in town Monday.

Whitfield Monday.

Mrs. Craig Sunday.

ful meeting.

luck.

Indian Mound.

you correspondents? I am stand- up with their work and nothing menced here Friday night. Bro.

We are needing rain very badly week with her sisters Mrs. H. L. Graham is expected tomorrow as we have had none since the Busch of Tonk Valley and Mrs. (Monday) to help during the Andrew Bryan of Dakin.

Corn was very good, some have tained with an ice cream supper moved out to the Methodist tab-

aunt, Mrs. A. J. Bryan, the past brother of Dakin visited relatives

Mrs. O. C. Knight of Graham tons. While Gentry Gibson and Wes- is spending several days with her

R. G. Taylor and sons spent automobile and ran away, turn- Saturday morning working on ness trip to Oklahoma last week | Charley Keen shipped a bunch ing the buggy over and throwing the road near the church build- and was only gone three days. of cattle from Loving to the the children out. No one was ing. The work was badly need- He said that there were thirty- market Monday night. hurt but the buggy was damaged ed and we believe if a few others would do likewise our roads

Findley visited in Bryson Friday H. L. Busch and wife of Tonk and Friday night, the guest of Valley visited J. S. Fisher Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Garrett G. W. McCommas and family, spent Friday night with Bill Rhea Cox and family of Newcas-Porter and family who left Sat- tle and Mrs. O. C. Knight of urday morning to visit relatives Graham took dinner with E. G. Williamson Sunday.

on Juanita Bryan Wednesday for the purpose of purchasing song books for the Sunday school. Several of the young folks We are going to try to improve rave been attending the meeting in our singing and will gladly welcome all help to build up our

H. L. Bush and wife of Tonk Mamie Keplinger was at Valley, Mrs. Knight of Graham, Mrs. Rhea Cox of Newcastle and Edgar Craig has been cleaning Bud Stockings of Red Top were

Willie Calvin and sister, Miss Messrs. Clarence Blount and Lena, attended Sunday school at

G. M. James left Sunday for Misses Fay and Flo Whitfield Dallas to be at the bedside of his left Friday to visit relatives in brother-in-law who is quite sick. J. S. Fisher and family and H. Miss Ethel Beaty returned Busch and wife took dinner with

> Miss Lue James visited Miss Zeta Dollins Sunday.

A short time was pleasantly nded church at Bryson Friday spent in singing by a crowd at Gentry Williamson's Sunday eye. Charlie James visited near Orth ing people went to Graham Big Sunday and was accompanied Monday? I saw Miss Western home by his sister, Mrs. Will Hoggard, who will spend several

R. G. Taylor and family visited W. W. Williamson Sunday. Hillard Easterling spent Sun-Miss Myrtice Findley left Sun- day afternoon with Roy and Coy

> Grace James returned Sunday from a visit with relatives near

Rev. Ferguson of Tonk Valley Dorá E. Robertson were out driv- took dinner with D. Bird Monday G. W. McCommas made a business trip to Graham Monday. B. W. Drum took in Big Mon-

> day at Newcastle. Mrs. O. C. Knight visited Mrs.

Austin Bird Monday. Come on, all you correspondents, and let's all be here each week. WESTERN GIRL

Tonk Valley.

The Baptist meeting started We have had-but little rain, here Friday night and is probut are proud of what we have gressing nicely. had and hope to have more be-John Knight and family took fore we write next week.

dinner with Mr. Wadley Sunday. Edgar Craig, Mr. Moore and Arthur Gossett left Sunday for Lester, Douglass and Clarence visit to his uncle Marl Azle. Blount were in Graham Monday.

J. M. Hand and wife and son Douglass Blount is talking of Harry speat a few days last week accepting a position as brakeman on the G. T. & W. If he does, with their son Walter.

W. D. Gossett and wife and sons left Monday for Mineral All of Mr. Highnight's folks Wells and will visit Mrs. Gossett's brother, Marl Azle, before

returning. Mrs. Alice Wixom was shopping in town Saturday,

Mr. Cherryhomes came in this morning with his thresher.

ginning at the school house Fri-Mr. Coffman and family of day night and we hope to have Knox county visited John Knight a good attendance and a success-

Mr. Lowery and family visited left last Friday for East and Mr. Knight Friday night.

Mac Pond returned Sunday morning, accompanied by his SUNSHINE.

Loving.

Everybody seems to be nearly The Baptist meeting commuch is to be done until the long J. L. Roach is assisted at the present by Bro. Ivy Lawrence Mrs. Austin Bird spent last of Abilene. Bro. Boswell of rest of the meeting. The church The young people were enter- house being too warm they by Miss Lena Calvin Thursday ernacle Sunday night and will hold the rest of the meeting

Green McCluer has completed week. She was accompanied here from Thursday till Satur- his silo which is 14 feet in diam- Hawkins, R. M. Summers and day night with Miss Jennie Doo- goods to Proffitt. eter, 30 feet high and holds 100

C. J. Harlan and M. D. Maples day ley Reed were returning from parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Mc- have gone to Eureka, Ark. to recuperate for a month.

Nathan Harlan made a busi- Cluer's family this week.

five cases of typhoid fever in the little town he went to.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivy Lawrence ment this week. are visiting in Loving and attending the Baptist meeting.

J. M. Herman of Stamford is boys instructions. visiting his brother-in-law, J. M. Barnett, and family. The Loving band has erected

a neat stand and will furnish music there once a week. Walter Sanders left Tuesday

12 inst. for Oklahoma and will return Monday accompanied by his Grandma Jones.

wife and several other old timers ley. were at the Baptist church Sun-

O. H. McAllister and wife of Jacksboro are visiting Art Mc-

Bro. W. W. Nobles is holding bee and wife Thursday. a protracted meeting at Monu-

F. H. Bowron was at Loving Monday night giving the band Miss Ruth Reeves Monday.

Proffitt

We are rejoicing over the fine rain which came Thursday; there was some damage done by the tle Wednesday. wind but no one hurt.

Mrs. Waldridge visited her son went to Newcastle Friday. Charlie, and wife Friday.

Miss Bettie Gibbs spent Mon- Ft. Worth to move his household

from Wichita Falls. Mr. Dooley and family are vis-

iting in Olney. Dick Wells went to Newcastle

Thursday. Maggie, visited Robert Weather- Graham Printing Co.

Mrs. John Rogers is visiting at Olney for a few days. Dr. Cagle was called to see

Miss Birdie Dooley spent Mon-

day night with Iona Connors. Several young people spent Sunday evening with Miss Mag-

gie Weatherbee. Mr. Strather went to Newcas-

Claud Halbert and Wean Reid Homer Tankersley has gone to

Mr. Davis and family of East-

Benton Hester has returned land county are here visiting her brother, Mr. Dooley.

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Mount Pleasant.

Somebody go and see about "sick-a-bed up stairs on a pallet" in Young county. and see if he will respond.

Say, Mr. Farmer, what do you baked craniums with the fact family. clabber heads and see if we can't ing relatives and friends. find the recollection that every Mrs. Mayhan spent Wednesday July early cotton goes to the bad. with Mrs. Rayburn. most invariably early cotton suf- Edna Rogers. for Young county will not hold Miss Ora Davis. " lies our mistake in trying to fol- Temple, Okla. spent Thursday Oyes, when Little Boy struck duce the number of germs. low the teaching of most of 'our with Mr. Butler and wife. farm papers. For Instance in Mrs. Matthews spent Thurs- ing in an auto; don't know what with a carefully tabulated list of the northeastern counties I am day with Mrs. Prangle. so rank and fine that boll worms week. have attacked it and are literally trimming it up, while a- boll worm could not live in Young county, if he could find a boll the heat would kill him. But The Reporter is not a farm paper if all progressive farmers do take it and read it. So I will leave this discussion till the "forum" department is added to The Re-

last week. I said Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Moore attended Fifth Sun- sons Thursday evening. day meeting at Jean when it was the Association. Guess I depended too much on the editor.

As was announced the Missionary Baptist meeting commenced Friday night in charge of Rev. O. E. Dickson, the pastor. Rev. B. F. Dickinson of Jack county came in Sunday the pastor and visiting relatives in Newcastle. the meeting is fairly under way at this writing

One night last week quite a ing goods. stir was created in our community when Mrs. J. E. Martin announced over the telephone that tain Home Sunday night. somebody had stolen all the money she had, purse and all. Deputy Sheriffs Burnett and Nesbitt were on the ground very early next morning and assisted to look for tracks, and were not long in finding-some but they proved to be Mrs. Martin's nice lot of furniture and a nice its or anywhere else, and the what you may expect in the futracks. After searching dilli- old widower. Apply to Charlie city of Graham will not remove ture. gently for some time and failing McLaren. to find any clue the search was abandoned, and sometime during the day Mrs. Martin found the purse and money where she had put it the day before.

Mrs. Ethel Hulce and Miss Alverse Brooks are spending-the week with their parents.

J. E. Martin has returned from

Arkansas.

Some are attending the Holiness meeting at Briar Branch. PLOW BOY.

Henry Chapel.

I wonder if Casey Jones has dried up and blown-away?

The Presbyterians closed quite a successful meeting at -Conner-Sunday, with several additions. J. E. Dowdle of Ft. Worth ar-

rived Saturday night and met his family. They will leave for home Friday.

Quite a number of Chapel people enjoyed a fish fry on Rock Creek Tuesday.

Notices are up for an election on the school bond issue to be held Sept. 6.

Hold up there, Plow Boy, you have raised so much fuss about the dumping ground on your road they have begun to blockade the road on our side now. You get quiet over there.

J. R. Brown and family of Weatherford are visiting relatives here. Jordan has been working for the Wells-Fargo Express Co. for the past-fifteen , years. We are sure glad to have them with

in Denton on a visit. DAGO.

Hunt.

Claud Reeves, wife and little Buster, I just know he must be daughter are visiting relatives pondents; will drop you a few both make mistakes. The differ-

and here he is "a doin wusser." their families spent Saturday found them. We camped on twice. Somebody ring the cash drawer night with Mack Reeves and Cedar Creek and fished but never We are inclined to ridicule the family.

Mr. Ratliff and family sof Mil-

told that crops are fine, or have Mrs. Jones of Olney is visiting found it dry and everything sugar, while of no benefit on hot been until recently. Cotton is friends in this community this burnt up until we struck the shovels, has a distinct benefit in

Gooseneck.

The little son of Mr. and Mrs. Rose is quite sick.

relatives in Ming Bend last week. parts is sandy, covered with tim- stroy disease germs, but also de-Sunday with G. W. Rose.

Murray Conder attended church & P. in the north part and the such use for sugar. My, what a mistake I made at Mountain Home Sunday night. T. C. in the south part. Science is constantly making

> ited relatives at Henry Chapel back in old Miller Bend. Sunday.

The crowd at Sunday school was small and we fear it will be discontinued on account of lack

We notice that H. Driver of the plight of Plow Boy. Bunger has a new sign for sell- His first threat is that he has

Laren attended church at Moun- he will come in and show him the Graham Land Office. E. S.

visiting R. L. McLaren and fam- ary world. Next he threatens to a Real Estate Sale and Exchange

Anyone wishing to see Joe Parsons will find him on the bank by Wylie Moore they proceeded of the river drinking good old ther trouble I will say that the sion Basis. My business deal-

For sale, a good cotton crop, a GANDER.

Rocky Mound.

Wednesday night. A large crowd feathers. Yes, I see the cat and was present Sunday and had din- it is dead. ner on the ground. Everybody Nowhere did I intimate

left Sunday for a visit to relatives Plow Boy's home; on the contrary in Oklahoma.

week with her sister, Mrs. Doolin, sider them. Did you do it?

Loving visited Elbert Mowery they are made known to us. We

Saturday and Sunday. Norris Seybold, of Graham spent Again we say it is up to Plow

Wednesday with Mr. Mowery. Miss Rena Ragland visited Misses Gussie and Reta Ragland

last week. Several people have been fishing on the river last week and all say they had a splendid time and caught lots of fish.

Mrs. Harris of Graham is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Hunter. Willie Conder of Gooseneck attended church here Sunday and the street from the high school. spent the night with Guy Nored. BELLE.

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Little Boy is Away.

Hello Mr. Editor and correscaught anything.

think of early cotton by this ler Bend and J. P. Ratliff and the Boy here in Eastland county, ignorant man. We pity the man time? Has this dry hot weather family of True spent Friday Lots of peaches and watermelons who fails, if he does not have an succeeded in penetrating our sun- night with W. E. Reeves and and don't you know Little Boy education, and laugh at the eduis going for them. He is going cated man who errs. that early cotton is not the G. R. Smith left Tuesday for to get fat before he gets back to The difference between science Of course there are some few ex- Miss Clair Davis spent Wed- here but he sure would make the sugar on a shovel to "disinfect" good for the entire state. Herein Charley Burton and wife of guess he had better not come, odor of burnt sugar does not re-

this sand he thought he was rid- Now comes a French scientist the team thought about it. I records to prove that common sand and then the crops were the treatment of wounds. Com-

county I will try to describe it. found for healing wounds; better Mr. and Mrs. McLaren visited rough in some parts and other poisons commonly used which de-John Clark and family spent ber. Eastland City, the county stroy living tissues. Nobody but Alfred and Roy Parsons and county has two railroads, the T. patience would have discovered

man are the leading cities.

LITTLE BOY.

Plow Boy Blows Up.

When some people fail to meet Mrs. G. W. Wiley and son are facts with counter facts, they resort to threats, such has become

a cheap detective to inform him Herman Johnson and Lona Me- when the inspector arrives and the thing that has caused him Graham and I have made ar-Jim Ferguson and family are such painful efforts in the liter- rangements to jointly transact a turn me in to the State Health business. We shall handle any

> Now Plow Boy to save you fur-City of Graham never put any ings with the public in the past manure inside the corporate limany manure from any place complained of by Plow Boy. Now do your worst.

Rain is badly needed; cotton is when you give me any trouble customers. Remember that you in that line "June bugs" will will be welcome at all times. The Methodist meeting began give milk and frogs will grow Your patronage is solicited.

enjoyed the services and dinner. would prosecute Plow Boy or Bros. Crim and Brisco attended any one else save when some one church Sunday and Bro. Crim made sworn complaint and no preached a fine sermon in the one so far has done so, not even Plow Boy. Nowhere did I say Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Goldston or even intimate anything about I said my remarks were not per- banking corporation, association Miss Ruth Robertson spent last sonal and asked him to so con-

Now we will enforce all law Mr. and Mrs. Earl Taylor of and prosecute all offenders when will abate all nuisances upon Mr. Padgett and daughter, sworn statement of any citizen.

> With this said the matter is closed so far as we are concerned. J. L. WILLIAMSON.

Class in Music.

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Scientific Mistakes.

Scientists and ignorant men lines and tell about thy trip, ence is that the scientific man because he promised to do better W. E. and Claud Reeves with Talk about rough roads, we sure doesn't make the same mistake

mistakes of the scientific man and Everything looks good to Lit- condone or defend those of the

thing? Let's feel around in our Johnson county where he is visit- old Young county. As to crops and guesswork has recently been they look good. Lots of corn graphically illustrated with so and other feed stuff, and cotton simple a thing as sugar. For is-good. Wish Plow Boy was years many people have burned ceptional years, but as a rule al- nesday with Misses Newcie and peaches and melons fly, and the the sick room. Every one who the dear old editor would never has ever done, so knows that after fers. I am talking about condi- Miss Ella Michrell spent Wed- live to get back if he was here the process disagreeable odors tions in Young county and a rule nesday night and Thursday with and then what would we do for certainly do disappear, but long we could not do without him, so ago careful tests showed that the

> mon sugar, according to this lat-As some of the correspondents est announcement, after sterilizhave never been in Eastland ing, is one of the best things ever It resembles Young county, is than carbolic acid or any of the site is in the roughest part. The a scientific man with his endless

Mrs. Conder visited Mrs. Par- Eastland City, Ranger and Gor- endless experiments in every concoivable direction, and, bit by Andrew Smith and family vis- Well, I will ring off. Will be bit, not only is error being found out, but truth is being established. Texas Farm Co-Operator.

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green, blue and purple, all sizes,

A. E. Oatman and daughters,

Nora and Maud, who visited rel-

If you have chickens to sell see

Col. S. R. Crawford left Tues-

day afternoon in Old 26, for

Wichita Falls, where he took the

train for Alburquerque, N. M.,

Mrs. J. M. Hand and son Har

ry left Tuesday morning for Bay

Minette, Alabama where they

John and Louis Bower left

Bring your chickens and but

Bob Bullock of Belknap was

Mrs. W. I. Gilmore and daugh-

ters, Misses Grace and Alice Gib-

son, of Salem were in the city

Good Standard 8-oz duck at 10c

Messrs. G. G. Smith and A. H

Gordon of the Salem community

were transacting business in the

Misses Lottie Williamson and

Ada Chestnut of Finis were

M. I Miles, who was here the

past week visiting Mrs. M. L.

Manning and the family of D. G.

bologna, full cream cheese, etc.,

ed in Dallas was at home this

Have your clothes cleaned and

pressed by the Economical Tail-

Take your car to the old Young

Squire Alcorn of Tonk Valley

Chas Widmayer made a busi-

The Graham Filling Station

will sell you good gasoline at the

week visiting relatives.

shopping in the city Friday.

a yard at Jno. E. Morrison & Co.

will spend the winter.

ter to Sam Dowdle.

shopping Tuesday.

here on business Friday.

his brother, who is quite sick.

before returning to Waco.

Sam Dowdle.

at The Graham Printing Co.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Tankersley left Tuesday morning for 7-passenger Studebaker. This is Kansas City for a short visit.

Miss Nina Hall returned this week-from a visit to Olney.

I want your chickens. I am located just north of postoffice. See me before you sell. Sam Dowdle

W. E. Strong of Jean was here Tuesday and made The Reporter a pleasant call.

Watches repaired here give satisfaction. J. L. Woods, Jeweler.

Mrs. Will Plemmons, of Jermyn. Texas is visiting her granddays, left Tuesday for Loving mother, Mrs. Short, and other and Megargel to visit relatives relatives.

Miss Kate Cochran returned Monday from a visit to her sister in Dallas.

Miss Pearl Matthews went to Farmer yesterday to visit Mr. and Mrs. Will Gegg.

Good Standard 8-oz duck at 10c in response to a telegram from a yard at Jno. E. Morrison & Co.

Mrs. E. E. Hall has been quite sick for several days with a ser- at The Graham Printing Co. ious attack of stomach trouble. She is reported no better at this writing.

J. G. Crow of Henry Chapel was in the city on business Saturday.

Buy your new fall suit from ter Minn., where Louis goes for sired. Independent phone. the Economical Tailoring Co. treatment Plenty of samples to select from, and at the price you want to pay. A fit guaranteed.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. McJimsey and Miss Pauline returned this week from Mineral Wells, where they spent several weeks.

Best chocolate creams on ice at W. I. Tidwell & Sons.

Rev. Kelley of Ft. Worth, a young minister, preached at the Baptist church Sunday morning and night in the absence of the regular pastor.

We pay cash or trade you groceries for your chickens and eggs Owen Bros. See us.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Mayes are at home again.

Miss Ida Crott of Fayette, Mo. came in Tuesday night to spend some time with her sister, Mrs. Chas. Widmayer.

Fountain pen inks, Carter's Vick left Monday for Dallas, and Sanford's, 10c up, at The where he will teach in the Dallas Graham Printing Co. public schools.

Miss Ella Pearl Wheat, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. last Thursday for a visit to rela- covery or return will be suitably G. O. Street, returned to her times in Denton county. home in Memphis, Tex., Monday. H. Bruce Street returned from bacon, cooked luncheon meats;

Winslow, Ark., Monday night. Good Standard 8-oz duck at 10c a yard at Jno. E. Morrison & Co.

Mrs. Eugene Crouch returned to her home in McKinney Friday. B. S. Doty is in Boston attend-

ing the Rexall convention. Fill your fountain pen at our showcase well. The Graham and paid us a pleasent call.

Printing Co. Have your piano or organ tuned

by an expert of eleven years' factory experience. Carroll's Studio. Robert Forrester of Wichita,

in the city visiting her mother, Kan., has been in the city several Mrs. C. P. Goode. days visiting friends.

Wright McClatchey is spending his vacation in Waco. ranch Tuesday.

We deliver your bread as you need it .- W. I. Tidwell & Sons. County Lumber Yard, north of

Harve Shanan and P. L. Bower postoffice, and get same filled of Conner Creek were trading in with good gasoline. Graham Graham Saturday. Filling Station.

If that suit needs mending or altering bring it to the Economwas in the city on business Satical Tailoring Co.

Misses Eula and Allie Logan are in Dallas for a two weeks' ness trip to Ft. Worth Monday. visit.

Miss Nancy Bell has returned to her home in Baird.

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Want Ads

A few brood mares and geld-Bruce Street has purchased a ings for sale, also some young jacks. For prices apply to the second 7-passenger car for W. E. Moore. Graham, Mr. Hall Morrison hav-

ing bought one of the same kind I will do general veterinary practice until spring; will be in Frank Forbes and Frank Par. Graham each Big Monday. Call rish are out for a few days fish- over Independent phone. N. B. BLEVINS.

> FOR SALE-Three good residences in Graham for sale cheap. See me for prices and terms.

> > M. A. Wallace.

atives and friends here several Please hold your nursery orders or me. I will see you during the season. W. D. Spivey. 4249

For Sale.

I have several good farms for sale including my own. For description, prices and terms, see or write. F. HERRON,

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LOST-Female bird dog puppy, about grown, light brown and white color, light brown head, carries tail with a slight curve at end. Had on collar with ring; answers to name of Dot. Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Ratliff left Any information leading to rerewarded by W. A. Morris or W. Sliced boiled ham, breakfast C. Bell.

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> Wanted An experienced ginner; one who thoroughly under-

stands his work. FARMERS UNION GIN CO. Mrs. Bessie Hicks of Electra is A. H. Jones, Mgr., Graham.

FOR SALE. Belmont Hotel Mr. and Mrs. W. J. A. Cooper unincumbered. Buy now in time and Miss Verla went to Ingleside for fall business. See E. E. HALL.

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School Notice.

The Graham Public Schools will open Tuesday morning, Sept. 9, at 9 o'clock. There will be a meeting of the teachers in the school building Monday morning, Sept. 8. A more ex-Mr. and Mrs. Rollie Voules tened notice will be given next and Mrs. Mai Voules are visiting week. EDGAR MCLENDON, Supt. of Schools

J. W. Bishop, who has been Madill, Oklahoma Saturday.

A. G. Stripling of McKinney. Texas was here last week looking for a location. We trust he

isfaction. J. L. Woods, Jeweler. Thursday

L. P. Brooks of Miller Bend city Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Adair of Jean were in the city this week visiting relatives.

Bring us all your chickens, we pay highest market price. Owen Bros.

G. W. Carlton was in the city Tuesday seeing after his pension papers. Mr. Carlton is an are visiting relatives in Bellevue. old confederate serving most of the time during the war in Vir-

and daughter, Miss Maggie of Tonk Valley were welcome visitors at the Reporter office Tuesday. The Graham Ptg. Co.

Rev. Gaines B. Hall left Tuesvisiting his son George for some day morning for Comanche. Textime, returned to his home in as, to join his family. From there they go to Winters, Texas, where they will visit Mr. Hall's parents for a short time.

E. B. Fulton of Flint Creek will find the country to his lik- was here on business Saturday.

J. M. Padgett of near Markley Watches repaired here give sat- was in Graham on business last

Mr. and Mrs. John Kisinger of was transacting business in the Salem were made happy over the arrival of a fine baby girl on the

> Mrs. W. I. Allen of Hillsboro was in the city this week visiting the family of O. E. Allen.

Dr. J. M. Johnson of Antelope, son. Texas was in the city this week on business.

Mrs. J. C. Owen and children

Messrs. Q. Street and George Black went to Sweetwater this week, delegates to the State. Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Pharris Fireman's Convention.

Christian Endeavor Program.

Subject: Old Friend Meeting. Topic: How I Have Proved Christianity and Seen It Proved. Leader: C. B. Jones. Song.

Prayer.

Scripture lesson: John 3-25-36. Read by Elsie Rubenkoenig.

Topic: Prayer Proof, by Mrs. Fitzgerald. A letter read from some one

from J. R. McCarroll. The Daily Life Proof, by Mrs.

Letters from S. J. McMurray and others.

Proof of Missions, Mrs. Hud-

Proof of Civilization, by C. P. Hutchison. Letters from Mrs. Fletcher Owens and Mrs. Gilmer.

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THIRD GRADE PIANO MEDAL This medal is given for the best record of attendance during the session best record of practice done at home and best repertoire of pieces played from memory at the close of the session.

FOURTH GRADE PIANO MEDAL. This medal is given for the best record in attendance during the session best record of practice during the session and the best record of SCALE EXECUTION:

THE PIANO SCALE MEDAL- The highest honor of the School publicly contested for at the close of the session. Only THIRD and FOURTH grade students are contestants for this medal.

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RULES OF ALL CONTESTS

FIRST: All contestants must enter the first Monday'in September. Contest begins September 29. It is indeed very necessary for all students to enter at once before the contest begins, so they may know what constitutes an EXCEPTIONAL HONOR.

SECOND: No made up lesson will be recorded to the credit of any pupil in any contest. THIRD: All First and Second grade pupils are required to do a certain amount of writing each week.

FOURTH: All Third and Fourth grade pupils must be present at Theory class ONE LESSON IN EACH WEEK.

We solicit only those pupils who have enough energy to practice, and children of parents that will take enough interest in their children to see that they put in not less than ONE HALF HOUR at the piano EACH DAY and ONE HOUR ON SATURDAYS. We do not want numbers, but pupils who mean business, and parents who will see that they get value received for their money by seeing that their children meet our requirements. Remember, we furnish written directions so that any parent who can read may know what we want their child to do. Very respectfully,

J. F. H. CRABB.

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