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Disastrous Flood at Lampasas.
From the Lampasas Dispatch Extra, September 29.

On Friday night, after midnight, the rain began to fall with considerable force, and so continued until late in the evening of Saturday. By 12 o'clock on Saturday, the town was flooded with water from the branches around town and the back water from Burleson and Sulphur Fork. About 1 P. M., the overflow from the Sulphur Fork took place, and in thirty minutes the town was submerged. In less than half an hour from the break over on the water from the creek, a dozen or more houses were swept off, leaving the lots entirely desolate of a piece of timber. Not a thing had been taken from a single house so far as we know. In fact, no one suspected such a terrible catastrophe; and when it did come, the question was "what shall we do to save ourselves?"

Women and children went from their falling houses, wading up to their waists, screaming for help, and on impassable slough separating many of the men from their families. Some took refuge in trees, where they were obliged to remain for three or four hours, before help could get to them. One sick lady, with a child three weeks old in her arms, stayed in a tree until rescued after the water subsided.

But a very few houses in town were high enough to be entirely exempt from the ravages of the rushing waters.

The College, Gray's hotel, the Lampasas hotel (upper story), Mrs. Huling's, Tom Haynie's and Judge McGinnis's are nearly the only houses without water on the floor. Many houses which were not swept away had all their contents taken off.

The houses in the highest parts of town were filled with the distracted, almost naked and shivering women and children. About four o'clock the waters began to subside and soon the men of the town were busy with wagons and horses hunting up the houseless and disconsolate. Every house where any comforts and provisions were left was made open and free to the destitute and homeless. Dozens of families are left with not a change of clothing, a pair of shoes or a morsel of food. More than twenty-five residences and business houses were washed away.

One unfortunate man was drowned upon the public square—being crippled in the hand he was unable to reach among the trees through which he was dashed. His name is Lewis C. Phillips, whose brother was fortunate enough to save himself in a tree, where he remained till the subsidence of the waters. He saw his brother making desperate efforts to save himself, and at last was compelled to witness his envelopment in the angry waves. The body was found the next day on the other side of Burleson creek, more than half a mile from town.

About two miles below town the accident occurred connected with our flood took place. Judge W. H. Garret and a Mr. Jones, who worked with him, lived very near the creek, and being their houses would be washed away, took their families in a wagon and started to the higher grounds. A deep flat had to be crossed, and in passing through it the wagon sprang and Judge Garret and one child, and Mr. Jones with two children were drowned. Mrs. Jones and Mrs. Garret, with the balance of their families, were saved. Had they remained at their houses they would have not got into them.

Those left entirely homeless, their houses washed away, are as follows: Hart Anderson, J. P. Powers, Mrs. Higgins, John Spark's residence filled with furniture (he and family both away from home) Dr. W. P. Beall, Ernest Engle, Mrs. Dickson, Mr. Lambert, D. O. Mitchell, Thos. Bivins, Mrs. Mary Gwin, Joe Casbeer, Mr. Bruton, John Miller and part of Mr. Clark's house and most of the plaster are lost.

The business houses which were washed off are D. G. Phillips & Bro. (they carry Yano & Thomas, large family grocery, with new stock just arrived); S. S. Gholson & Co., general merchandise; Kit Williams, book, drug and family grocery store, in which was the post office, with all the contents of the same; Mitchell's meat market; House Abney & Leasing's law office, with all their papers and books; White & Gibson's law office, with all their books and papers; Hayworth & Bro. new store house washed into the public square and lodged (greatly damaged) Grant's blacksmith shop (the large house of Henry Hill) used as a coal house, was washed on or swept off, and many of the residences and the balance badly injured. As prompt relief is almost impossible to give an estimate of the loss sustained from the effects of this late flood, but we think \$75,000 a low estimate.

We forgot to mention that the water came about three feet into our printing office and carried off our paper a mile or two. We can scarcely get things in shape to make a readable extra.

Owing to our late misfortunes we will be unable to issue the Dispatch this week. Persons not receiving our paper of September 25, will attribute it to the overflow, as a vast amount of matter prepared for the mail was lost.

AGAIN.

We again suggest to our Republican friends throughout the State to be careful in selecting their nominees to our next Legislature. Be certain first and above all other qualifications that he is honest and that no amount of money or other inducements would cause him to place his vote to forward the scheme or schemes of any party or parties who of late years do hang around the Legislature's of our various States. Next know that he is patriotic and desires the success of the country. See to it that he has ability to understand and secure for you needed laws, and to oppose all unfair enactments, or legislation to oppress any class of our people. To reiterate, you want truly honest and patriotic men of ability and free from prejudice against any class of our fellow citizens. In counties where our Republican friends are greatly in the minority they should not seek alliances with the professional politicians but go among the people and seek nominees who will unite with you to defeat the enemies of Republican Government.

With a good pure and able Legislature and E. J. Davis for our Governor with his acknowledged integrity and unimpeachable character our people again would be content and happy, and the development and prosperity of our State would go forward.

Again we would be in harmony with our general government. Good feeling and friendship would grow up among our people with the prejudice and hates of the past would die away.

Then our part of the general expenditures and appropriations of the United States Government would be accorded us; our harbors, rivers and lakes were practicable would be cleared out, and the necessary government buildings throughout our State would be erected, and no class of our fellow citizens would be uneasy and apprehensive for fear that he would be oppressed by another class; for all know the untiring energy of our Governor in discharge of his duties; his vigilance, his disposition to do even and exact justice to every one. Now give him at his back a good Legislature, and you will satisfy every citizen except the discontented country haters who could but admire your good government, and happy and prosperous people.—*State Journal.*

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1,154 " " 5, 5,770	5,770
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The drawing will be made under the superintendence of a committee appointed by the highest officials in the State, duly sworn to by the faithful performance of the duties assigned them.

The highest officials both of Clay, Compton and State have not only endorsed Mr. A. W. Leavenworth, but also his scheme. The demand for tickets is unparalleled, and all desiring to participate in the exciting event should order their tickets and send to their order.

Send money to **Geo. W. Leavenworth**, 100 N. 2nd St. and Omaha, Neb. All money should be sent with the letter, P. O. Order of Expressman, or by draft on New York.

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Texas News and Views.

The Waco Examiner reports a considerable surplus of old corn in that section. This, together with an ordinary new crop, will make corn plentiful. A shortness of this crop is reported in adjoining counties, especially in Falls.

In the Red River counties the wheat is reported as very fine. In Hopkins county rain is needed. Politics are lively in that section.

The Tablet reports the health of Navasota as much better than it has been. The physicians are complaining of dull times.

The people of Galveston are enjoying "Hamlet," at the Opera House.

Alfred Gae, an old Texas pioneer, died in Waller county a few days since.

The appeal says that the cotton crop of Brazos county, will prove much better than has been anticipated. The yield will be two thirds of a crop, or fully as much as can be conveniently gathered. Cotton picking is going on easily.

The Citizen says that trade is reviving at Columbus and that new cotton is coming in. From previous reports, we are surprised to learn that the cotton crop of Colorado county will probably amount to half a crop. The citizens say the yield will amount to about 6000 bales.

The Waco Advance gives the report of a gentleman who has lately traveled over twenty counties in Eastern Texas. He says, the crops are miserable, but that west of the Central Railroad, wherever he has been, they were very good.

The 21st Annual Fair of the Texas Agricultural Association will be held at Henderson on the first ten days of October, and continuing ten days. The Times promises that everything will be prepared to accommodate a large crowd. Be-

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