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TENNIS TOURNAMENT AT SHAWNEE COURT

Many Fast and Exciting Games, as Well as Some Slow Ones.

DOUBLES MOST ATTRACTIVE

Spirited Contests in Doubles Brings Crowd of Spectators Each Day.

The first tournament to be held on the Shawnee Court commenced last Thursday with games matched between Horace Tidwell, Henry Porter, H. P. Rose and A. A. Morrison on one court and P. K. Deats and Mabry Short and Rev. G. B. Hall and J. W. Akin, Jr. on the other.

It required the full three sets in each one of these to eliminate the contestant, the scores for Tidwell and Porter vs. Rose and Morrison being 6-2, 2-6 and 6-4. In this match quite a laughable incident occurred in the fourth game of the first set when Rose and Morrison both attempted to get the same ball. The result of the effort was a sharp collision, bringing them both to earth. A vociferous round of applause greeted this grand stand play.

Hall and Akin eliminated Short and Deats with the following score: 6-4, 5-7 and 6-0. Each game in these sets was hotly contested, resulting in 13 deuce games in the three set.

Tidwell and Porter, winners of the first day were eliminated by Hall and Akin in two sets the score standing 6-3 and 6-1. They in turn were eliminated by E. S. Graham and Q. Street.

The prettiest games of the tournament were played by M. K. Graham and Wright McClatchey vs. John Black and Raymond Reed. In this it required the three full sets to determine the winners, and a more excellent exhibition of tennis has not been witnessed in Graham. Black and Reed had not played for about two years, but were good, a lack of team work possible resulting in them losing as many games as they did. All four of these players were smooth careful players and the ball would often go back and forth over the net for a half dozen times. In the end Graham and McClatchey won by the score of 4-6, 6-2 and 6-4.

Robt. Morrison and Leonard Norman had easy picking in eliminating Crabb and Kessler, winning two straight sets, 6-1, 6-1. But they were almost as easily eliminated by Graham and McClatchey in two sets, 6-3, 6-4. McClatchey and Graham were made to sit down by Lynch and Doty in two sets, 6-3, 6-3.

In singles E. S. Graham defeated M. K. Graham in two sets, 6-0, 6-4, and Q. Street in two sets, 6-3, 6-4.

Q. Street defeated John Black in two sets, 6-3, 6-5.

R. L. Reed defeated H. P. Rose in three sets, 6-0, 5-6, 7-5, it requiring two afternoons for these old stagers to complete their sets.

Mabry Short defeated Leonard Norman in three sets, 2-6, 8-6, 6-0.

At the time this is written (Wednesday) the ladies are to play singles, and doubles are to be played between E. S. Graham and Q. Street, R. E. Lynch and Joe David Doty. The last of the doubles will no doubt be hard fought, as these teams are fighting for supremacy.

Children's Day at Jean.

Sunday, June 15, was probably the best day Jean has ever had. Children's Day was observed by the Baptist church. The splendid new building was filled to overflowing, many were unable to get in the house. The morning was taken up by Sunday school and a sermon. The crowd was dismissed promptly at 12 and such a dinner you never saw, and although the crowd of hungry people was immense, there was dinner enough to have fed them all again with several basketfuls left.

That Jean never does things by halves was manifested by the program that was rendered in the afternoon. The committee certainly deserves a crown for their arduous toil. The high appreciation by all present of the nicely arranged program, filled with splendid pieces, interspersed with good songs, can never be shown, but the congregation, by a majority standing vote, said they were thankful for it all.

May God, the father of all the children, abundantly bless all who took part in the exercises, and a special portion be on the committee. —ONE PRESENT.

Fallin-Cook.

Friday morning at sunrise Rev. J. Hall Bowman performed the beautiful ceremony that united the lives and fortunes of Mr. Z. D. Fallin of Ft. Worth and Miss Minnie Cook of this place.

The church was beautifully decorated with palms, ferns, magnolias and cape jasmynes, the two latter being a gift to the bride from a friend in Louisiana.

The wedding party, led by Messrs. Scott and Doty as ushers, entered the church to the beautiful strains of Mendelssohn's Wedding March, played by Miss Ruth Moore of Elvasville. Mr. Fallin and his best man, Mr. Rice, were handsomely attired in full-dress suits. The bride's attendants, Miss Bertie Cook as bridesmaid, Miss Rosemary Bowman as ring-bearer and flower girl and Mrs. Bowman as matron of honor, were daintily gowned in hand-embroidered pink costumes. Miss Cook looked her part as a June bride in an exquisite gown of brocaded satin with orange blossoms and a misty veil of tulle.

These two young people are very popular and possess a host of friends, as the many handsome and useful presents they received indicated.

Amid showers of rice, flowers and good wishes the happy pair departed for Ft. Worth, where they will make their home until November, when Mr. Fallin will take up his work as a pastor in the Central Texas Conference.

Advertise in a Way to Get Value for Your Money.

Advertise steadily in the newspapers if you want the worth of your money; go at it in a systematized manner with the determination to let no one else get first place in your particular field. Don't go into the newspapers one week and out enough times to ease up the finance part; advertise so that the large sales cover up all leaks; and there is no leak so pernicious as spasmodic advertising which, being forgotten in between times, sends the people to the man who doesn't give 'em a chance to forget his business. —Houston Chronicle.

Advertising is a fine art and how to do it so as to get the best results should be made a study. Keeping persistently at anything is what wins. —Jacksboro Gazette.

Fourth Class Postmaster Examination.

The United States Civil Service Commission announces that on Saturday, July 12, 1913, an examination will be held at Graham, Texas, as a result of which it is expected to make certification to fill a contemplated vacancy in the position of fourth class postmaster at Farmer, Texas, and other vacancies as they may occur at that office, unless it shall be decided in the interests of the service to fill the vacancy by reinstatement. The compensation of the postmaster at this office was \$250 for the last fiscal year.

Age limit, 21 years and over on the date of the examination, with the exception that in a State where women are declared by statute to be of full age for all purposes at 18 years, women 18 years of age on the date of the examination will be admitted.

Applicants must reside within the territory supplied by the postoffice for which the examination is announced.

The examination is open to all citizens of the United States who can comply with the requirements.

Application forms and full information concerning the requirements of the examination can be secured from the postmaster at Farmer and Graham, Texas, or the U. S. Civil Service Commission, Washington, D. C.

Applications should be properly executed and filed with the Commission at Washington at least seven days before the date of the examination, otherwise it may be impracticable to examine the applicants.

U. S. CIVIL SERVICE COM.

Presbyterian Ladies' Aid.

The Presbyterian Ladies' Aid and Missionary Society held a most pleasant session Thursday with Mrs. Rose, almost all the members were present and two delightful visitors, Mesdames Elliott and Kilpatrick. The president being out of town, our excellent vice president presided.

The Scripture reading was a collection of verses read by the members, the theme being joy in service. The topic was "Educational and Industrial Missions," each of which are indispensable to evangelistic missions. Seven dollars were given for the monthly free will offering to the Mexican missionary at San Marcos.

The hour of meeting was changed from 4 to 4:30 o'clock. Our next meeting will be held with Mrs. Nat. Price.

Change in Ownership.

W. F. Babb has sold his interest in the St. Louis Restaurant to Mr. Will McCombs in order that he may devote his entire time to the operation and extension of the electric light plant. The restaurant will continue under the management of Pink Walker and its patrons are assured the same courteous treatment heretofore accorded them. This change in ownership will also give Mr. Babb more time in which to look after his new plant, which, by the way, is one of the best in this part of the state. The small generator, which when installed, will give the plant two units of power, has arrived and will possibly be ready for use by Saturday of this week. The installation of this additional unit will assure the patrons of the light plant continuous service, as it would take something much out of the ordinary to cripple both generators.

Unusual Birthday Party.

Birthday parties are usually celebrated at the residence of the person in whose honor it is given, but this custom was departed from on last Friday night when Mrs. W. J. Rehder, guardian of the Woodmen Circle, celebrated her 50th birthday in an open meeting of this order.

It was not really a celebration, but a love feast of the members of the Circle, with Mrs. Rehder the recipient of the good wishes, words of praise and affection.

A surprise was prepared for her by the circle in a handsome present of a water set, presented in a humorous way by Sov. J. W. Taliaferro. Immediately following the presentation of this gift Mrs. Rehder was presented a parol of exquisite design by Sov. F. A. Kessler, a present from the Woodmen of the World.

Mrs. Rehder has been one of the leading spirits in the Circle since its organization and possibly the most zealous worker in the order. She never loses an opportunity to carry out the fraternal features for which the order is celebrated.

The Reporter extends congratulations to Mrs. Rehder on the celebration of her half-century birthday and trusts she may live to enjoy her full portion, and that each succeeding one will be happier than the last.

First Cotton Bloom.

J. W. Condor, living 14 miles north of town was in the city last Thursday exhibiting the first cotton bloom of the season. Mr. Condor takes a notion every few years that he can do better in some other part of the state and leaves old Young county, but when crop planting time comes he is usually found stirring up Young county dirt. He has about twenty acres of this early cotton, of the Roudein variety and figures he will stand a pretty good chance of marketing the first bale in Graham this year.

Mothes-Goss.

C. H. Mothes of Olney and Miss Clara Goss of Seymour were married at Seymour Tuesday morning at 8:30.

Miss Goss is a daughter of State Senator Goss and a lady of many accomplishments. She is one of the leaders of Seymour's young society set and has a host of friends there who rejoice with her in her new found happiness.

Mr. Mothes is one of the leading contractors of this section and has recently closed a contract with the school board of this city for the erection of a substantial addition to the present school building.

Mr. and Mrs. Mothes will return to Graham today.

The Reporter extends congratulations.

We Got One.

D. L. Higgins, living about two miles north of Graham sent The Reporter a fine roasting ear Monday by John Rubenkoenig, at least that is the amount John arrived with. We rather expect John took the hint we gave out a short time back about what would become of the roasting ears intended for Messrs. Hall and Hallam if delivered at The Reporter office. Be that as it may, the ear was a fine specimen, the first one we have seen this season. With another fair rain Mr. Higgins ought to make a very fine crop of corn, if one is to judge by the sample shown.

Scholastic Census Finished.

All returns have come in from the scholastic census of Young county, showing a total of 3,294 pupils between the ages of 7 and 17 years. In addition to the above there will be quite an addition to the schools next year on account of the raise in the age limit of the free school years. Of the 3,294 the common school districts have 2,252, Graham 449, Newcastle 309, Olney 284. This is an increase of more than 100 over last year.

The rural school districts in the county should make an effort to consolidate their districts and provide better school buildings, employ more teachers and as a result have better schools than Young county ever had before. The matter would be easy to solve if those people in each community who are interested in education will get together and figure out the many advantages to be gained by consolidation.

Picnic at Loving.

Loving is to have a big picnic next Saturday and people from all over the county will be there. Among the speakers are County Judge E. W. Fry, County Attorney Fay Marshall and County Superintendent B. W. King, all of whom are favorites in Loving.

A dinner of large proportions will be served and we predict that if Judge Fry gets to the dinner before the speech the people will fail to hear a speech from him. We give you this tip so that if you do not want him to speak, just lead him to the viands.

Boating Party.

Complimenting Miss Byrd Bowman and her mother, Mrs. T. H. Bowman of Austin, a party composed of Messrs. Boyd Street and Paul Deats and Miss Miller and Little Miss Rosemary Bowman, chaperoned by Mrs. Bowman, enjoyed an ideal camp fire supper, prepared by those "experienced cooks," Messrs. Deats and Street, on the bank of the beautiful Salt Creek. Ask Mr. Deats if he likes frog's hind-legs. After the dishes were washed and put away a game of "drop the handkerchief" was enjoyed. Mrs. T. H. Bowman was pronounced the swiftest runner in this. Mrs. J. Hall Bowman gave a reading, "The Welch Classic" which was enjoyed by all. All came home with the desire to have this rare treat repeated.

Dolman House Opened.

On last Monday the Dolman House was opened for the patronage of the public. A few months ago fire destroyed the upper story of the building and damaged the lower story to such an extent that the entire building had to be rebuilt. It is now in excellent condition, newly painted and papered and with new furnishings throughout.

Mrs. Dolman is an excellent hostess and we trust she will enjoy a liberal share of the hotel patronage. Her son, John Gallagher, is with her and John knows how to greet his patrons with a smile of good cheer.

The Reporter takes pleasure in announcing that the Dolman House is again open for business.

Judge J. W. Akin recently had his car repainted, giving it the famous battleship gray color. John Bower was the master mechanic on the job, besides thoroughly overhauling the motor.

Announcement Party.

In response to invitations issued by Miss Clara Goss, The Knowing Club with a number of other guests assembled at her home Friday June 6, at 4:30. However it soon became apparent that this was no ordinary club meeting. The hostess received at the door and Miss Russey escorted to the punch bowl in the spacious back hall which had been converted into a scene of rustic beauty with vines and decoration of pink and white. Lucille Goss and Willie Marie Park presided at the punch bowl. The color scheme of pink and white was attractively carried out in every detail during the entire afternoon. In the parlor, library and dining room paper festoons were hung from room to room, while portieres were made of hearts strung together in a very graceful and artistic style. An interesting feature was a contract called "A Lover's Romance." Music was

furnished by Miss Edelen, Miss Clara Goss, Mrs. Watkins and Mrs. Rupe. Presently Miss Mary Goss took her place at the piano and a hush of expectancy fell as the beautiful, never old strains of Mendelssohn's Wedding March were heard and the loveliest bride and bridegroom that any one had ever seen came marching in slow measured time down the aisle that had been made for them by the eager guests. The bride a little Miss Irene Baker attired in a wonderful gown of sheer white with a long train and beautiful veil.

The groom was Master Teddy Flint, who wore the conventional dress suit highly becoming to him. These little people carried three large hearts bearing the following important announcement: "Goss, Mothes, June 25." Their march ended at the parlor door where they presented the bride-elect with a pretty bouquet. After the general surprise was over a delicious ice course in pink and white was served. —Baylor County Banner.

Attorney General's Ruling.

The following ruling was recently given out by the Attorney General's Department:

It was held that it would be a violation of the nepotism law for the board of trustees to elect a teacher who is first cousin of the wife of one of the trustees, and that it would not only be a violation of the law for the trustee so related to vote for the teacher, but that it would be a violation of the law for each of the other trustees to cast such a vote.

New Use for Buttermilk.

A discovery which should be hailed with delight by painters has been made by Walter S. Camper of near Bowers. Camper's discovery is that linseed oil is a thing of the past in mixing oil if there is plenty of buttermilk available. Camper was painting his house when he found that there was no linseed oil for mixing the paint.

The cans of paint had been left out in the yard near a mischievous child. Camper went back to the paint and discovered that it worked all right. Investigation showed that the child had emptied a pitcher of buttermilk into the paint, and that it had completed the mixing as well as linseed oil. —North American.

Misses Fay and Flo Whitfield of Dakin were in town Saturday.

FREE WANT ADS

The Reporter desires to be of as much assistance as possible to its many readers, and to help them dispose of whatever property is lying idle on their hands.

This is addressed, primarily, to our farmer friends, who may have a surplus of plows, planters, harrows, wagons, or other farm equipment, that they may want to dispose of, and for the sale of country produce, live stock or seed.

Our Free Offer

We will publish, free of charge, for two consecutive issues, a want ad, not to exceed thirty words, for any farmer in Young or adjoining counties, advertising the sale or trade of anything you may have in your possession and desire to dispose of.

You may have a plow that is too small for your present needs and can dispose of it to some one who needs just such a plow; you may want a new wagon and would dispose of your old one at a bargain, and some man may want your old one; you may have some blooded chickens or horses, cows or other live stock that another man would want a part of.

There is no better way than to let the public know through the columns of The Reporter, what you have for trade or sale. Try it for two weeks, free, and see if it doesn't bring results. If you find it satisfactory and want to continue longer, the rate will be one cent per word for each insertion.

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We have a big range of styles in Men's Mohair and Sicilian suits, \$15 to \$18 values at **\$12.50**
 Big lot Men's Kirschbaum spring styles, every suit guaranteed, \$15 to \$18 values to go at **\$10.00**
 Boys' Perfection Clothing, new styles, some very special values at \$3.50, \$4.00 \$5.00 and **\$6.00**

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Seconds of Ladies' 25c Hose, a dozen pairs for only **60c**
 Seconds of Men's 25c Hose, dozen pairs for only **60c**
 Ladies Silk Hose, worth 50 cents, per pair only **25c**
 Men's Silk Socks, worth 50 cents, good value, per pair only **25c**
 Boys' 25c and 35c Straw Hats, a special bargain at **15c**
 Children's Lace Hose, black, tan and white, per pair only **5c**
 New shipment Boys' Knee Pants, full peg, belt loops, side buckles. Prices 50c to **\$2.50**
 Calicoes, special all dress and shirting styles, for one week only, per yard at only **3½c**
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Children's Dresses, extra values at 50c, 75c and **\$1.00**
 Ladies' Dresses, can't be equalled for \$1, \$1.25, \$1.50 and **\$2.00**
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 Children's Rompers, a big range of styles to select from at **50c**
 Ladies' Aprons, they are fine values at 50c, 75c and **\$1.00**
 New arrivals. Dress Goods, Fancy Parasols, New Laces, Bandings and New Silk Hose, all colors.
 One special lot of Ladies' Dress Slippers, choice per pair **\$1.00**
 Just received a new shipment of Men's Dress Pants, new and up-to-date, price \$1.50 to **\$5.00**
 Another lot Young Men's Dress Hats, new and nobby styles, they are priced \$2.00 to **\$3.50**
 Men's, Ladies' and Children's Silk Hats, special at **50c**
 New line Men's Straw Sailors, latest styles, \$3.00 and **\$3.50**
 Men's and Boys' Dress Caps, in the late colors, 50c to **\$1.00**

Furniture We are pleased to announce to our friends and customers that we have just received a big car of high grade Furniture that we purchased at a very low price and we intend to give our customers the benefit of our purchase. Come in and see this wonderful display and if you need anything in this line we know we can save you money.

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The News from our County Correspondents

Hawkins Chapel.

Hiram Drum has gone to the Wells for his health.

Mrs. Walter Baker and children and Miss Florence Baker visited Mrs. Loftin at West Fork last week.

Miss Hettie Drum and Louis Porter were the guests of Frank and Lizzie Loftin Sunday.

Walter Baker was successful in hunting last week, as he and his hounds caught eight wolves while it was too wet to work.

Mrs. Will Smith spent Sunday with Mrs. Hiram Drum.

Robert Miller and wife and Mrs. Lindsay were the guests of Tom Lindsay Sunday.

Ben Barrett and family visited Arthur Hawkins Saturday night and Sunday.

Prayer meeting was conducted by T. F. Harman. He read the 14th chapter of John and the meeting was good in every way.

Misses Lillie Drum and Emma Smith dined with Miss Florence Baker Sunday.

Harvey Havens of Cleburne is visiting his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Loftin.

Several young people enjoyed the entertainment at McBee's Thursday night.

Luther Drum took several of our girls fishing on West Fork one day last week and they report a fine time.

J. C. Miller and daughter were in our community last week.

Louis Drum was the guest of Barney Baker Sunday.

Several young people attended the cream supper at Mr. Hamm's Saturday night and reported a nice time and lots of cream.

Misses Corring and Ruth Stephens were the guests of their grandparents, C. F. Newman and wife, Friday night.

A. E. Oatman and daughters, Nora and Maudie, of Waco are expected in our community this week.

Mrs. P. L. Wilson and daughter, Ione, of Hemphill are expected today to visit Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Newman.

July 10 is the time set for repairing the arbor at the Baptist church. Everybody come and help.

The Ward boys are off at work in the harvest fields.

Grass is fine in this community and stock is looking well.

VIOLET.

Lone Oak

The farmers are all smiles over the nice rain that came Monday.

We have about the finest crops that we have had at this time of the year in several years.

Wedding bells were ringing in our community the third Sunday. Mr. Will Allcorn and Miss Belle Moreland both of this community were married at 2 o'clock p. m., R. E. Boyle officiating. The bride is the charming daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Moreland and is highly respected by all who know her. The groom is a young man of sterling character and his friends are numbered by his acquaintances.

We join their many friends in wishing them a long and prosperous life.

Lum McBride and Misses Lou McBride and Vivian Arnold attended church at Red Top Sunday and took dinner with R. E. Boyle and family.

Several of the Lone Oak people attended children's services at Jean third Sunday.

I think Buster got more than his share of the chicken gizzards as he was seen with about thirteen on his plate at once.

C. C. McBride has erected a new building on his place.

Rev. J. S. Collins of Antelope will begin a meeting here Saturday before third Sunday in July. Everybody come. BRUNETTE.

Lower Tonk.

The rains have started the cotton and weeds to growing, and everybody is busy hoeing.

Mr. Moore went to Graham Saturday.

Misses Cora and Fannie Jones were in Graham Saturday.

Elder Suttle filled his appointment here.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce George, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hand and Mr. and Mrs. Pharris took dinner with Tom Wadley Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. McClanahan and daughters took dinner with Willie Wadley Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Woods of Graham visited Mrs. Tom Wadley Sunday.

Wallace Timmons and daughter took dinner with Mr. Clark Sunday.

Come on all the old and new writers and let us make our paper better.

Parson Higgins will preach at Lower Tonk next Sunday.

HAPPY GIRL.

Cedar Creek.

As I stand in the presence of the correspondents today and look into the faces of all the good writers—life all before us, with its privileges and opportunities—I can well understand the sentiment that moved the martyred president as he studied the life of a child and thought of its future possibilities, and with the good editor for our leader we ought to go straight on to victory.

We are glad to say that Mrs. Maggie Dooley who has been very sick for several days is able to be up again.

Mrs. Sib Rickles and children of Ivan visited friends and relatives in this community Saturday and Sunday.

B. P. Gann received a phone message Tuesday stating that his brother-in-law, R. I. Hunt, was very sick at the home of Silas Copeland, near the oil well. Mr. Gann left at once to be with him.

B. P. Ritchey, daughter and nephew, were visitors at the home of J. M. Reed, in the Fox Hollow vicinity Sunday.

Uncle George Winter who left here in April for California has landed at Pampa, Texas and says he will make that place his home until October when he will go on to Cal.

D. A. Upham received a call Saturday asking him to come at once to the bedside of his daughter Mrs. Bill Sweeney, who is seriously ill, at her home near Strawn. Mr. Upham left Sunday.

B. P. Gann has had a severe case of Arkansas fever for some time but we are glad to state he has about recovered since the rain.

Yes, Gander, Miss Goose is correct in her surmise of me. I am an old maid, am nearing my fiftieth mile stone, have several grey hairs among my sorrel top locks, am a little inclined to be cross-eyed, wear a No. 8 shoe, tip the scales at 100 lbs. and am somewhere near 7 feet tall. Now I trust Miss Goose is perfectly satisfied to my being an old maid.

The Gann children spent Tuesday night with their cousin, Lila Ritchey.

Mrs. M. C. Barran and children of this place spent Sunday with Crass Barran of the Copeland vicinity.

This section was visited by a much needed rain last Wednesday. Up to that time the situation had begun to look critical. Corn and all growing things had begun to twist, but crops are looking quite different now.

The Sleeping beauty was in this community Sunday.

SILVER BELL.

Bunger

The Goose has been absent for two weeks but she is going to scribble a few lines this week. Last week she was in the high weeds, this week her business called her to Ft. Worth.

Crops are in better shape in Young county than anywhere between Bryson and Dallas.

We are all rejoicing over the good rains recently.

I understand the Baptists are to build a church here soon.

When we get the big church, the broom factory and compress the railroad will surely come.

F. M. Berry says his Baptist watermelons are blooming.

I strayed down to Ming Bend Saturday to watch the game between the White Sox and the Bend Reds. The Sox lost, 9 to 10. This is the first game they have lost in seven games.

Bunger sportsmen are talking of getting up a gun club. Everybody interested come and join.

Bro. Sparks has gone to Newcastle to meet his daughter, Mrs. Gallaher, of Healdy.

The Goose got into it at Ft. Worth Monday. He thought he would go up to see Dr. Gray on the elevator and got one foot inside when the darkey pulled the string and half of him started up and turned the Goose bottom-side up.

Uncle John Reeves and family of Little Arkansas was at Goose-neck preaching Sunday.

G. W. Day says he has cotton blooms and roasting ears.

Everybody come to Bunger Saturday and see the married men beat the White Sox.

I understand the Woodmen are going to give a big free ice cream supper soon. I'll sure be there if they let me know when it is.

Any team that wants a game with the Ming Bend Reds call up R. A. Kutch, manager.

GOOSE.

Gooseneck.

We have had another good shower of rain and see no reason why we should not make a good crop. Cotton and corn are looking fine.

Herman Johnson spent Thursday night with Alfred Parsons.

Several from Ming Bend attended church here Sunday.

Miss Edna Wiley spent Sunday evening with Miss Cora Rose.

Ella Smith visited Mae Wiley Saturday night.

Mr. Creager will teach the Gooseneck school this coming term.

Several of the Gooseneck boys attended the ball game at Ming Bend Saturday.

Bob McLaren says he got a good shave and shampoo for \$2.50 while in Ft. Worth.

Cora Wiley visited Stella Smith Sunday.

We understand that Deacon Brown has been calling on Uncle Day again.

The Missionary car of Bunger was out Sunday night.

Miss Stella Smith spent Saturday night with Mrs. F. E. Suttle.

The Baptist Sunday school will not meet any more until the first Sunday in July.

There is a protracted meeting going on at this place and the attendance is very good.

Charlie McLaren took in the church services Sunday night.

Jog Parsons says he thinks he can live through now as he has plenty of roasting ears.

Willie Conder says he saw a pretty Rose Sunday and he could hardly keep from telling her about it.

Mr. and Mrs. Jones of Bunger attended church Sunday.

Freeland Wiley was all smiles Sunday, we think his best girl was there.

GANDER.

Dakin.

Most everyone is rejoicing over the rain Monday afternoon.

Crops are looking fine.

Earl Clark went fishing on the Clear Fork Friday, accompanied by his sister, Mrs. Sam Brock.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Garrett spent Sunday with Bill Porter.

Edgar Craig and mother were at church in Rocky Mound Sunday.

J. H. Reed and Miss Bryan attended church at Oakland Sunday.

Miss Mary Allen of Graham visited Hattie Reed Monday.

J. T. Townsend and wife and Mr. Purdue and wife, John Guess and Miss Etta Townsend came to the home of Elder Clark Thursday where Mr. Guess and Miss Townsend were married by Elder Clark at 2 p. m.

Miss Lilla Belle Findley drove to Bryson Saturday and was accompanied home Sunday by Miss Myrtice, who had been visiting Mrs. Chambers.

Josh Moore and granddaughters, Ruby and Joe Lee Hill, attended church at Oakland.

Mr. Keplinger and family spent Sunday with H. R. Ragland at Rocky Mound.

Miss Minnie Fisher of Indian Mound is visiting Mrs. A. J. Bryan.

Miss Juanita and L. J. Bryan and Frank Corley of Flat Rock went to Mr. Reed's Saturday night to eat ice cream.

Bro. Dickenson, pastor of the Rocky Mound church, took dinner with T. D. Findley Saturday.

Curtice Findley, L. J. Bryan, L. C. Reed, Elmer Garrett, Herbert Craig and Willie Keplinger attended the singing at D. J. Beatty's Sunday night.

A. C. White and wife spent Sunday with Elder Clark.

Henry Moore and family of Loving spent Saturday and Sunday with Bird Padgett.

Curtice Findley called on Earl Clark Monday.

Where in the world has Bachelor Girl, A Friend and lots more good correspondents gone? Come and let's all try and be present next week.

BLONDIE.

Ming Bend.

Everyone is wearing a big smile since the rain.

W. A. Pickard and Everett Newby went to Graham Thursday.

Mrs. P. A. Newby returned home Saturday from Mrs. Chandler's.

The young people had an enjoyable time eating cream at Mr. Owen's Thursday night.

Doff Owens of Mt. Home visited his Bro. A. P. Owens Thursday night.

Gander said that Earl said he wished he could see Rainy Day.

Well Mr. Gander I suppose he did for it rained most all the week.

Mrs. Cunningham and daughters, Mary and Ethel, spent the evening with Mrs. Owen Thursday.

Mrs. Jennie Kutch and Mrs. Mattie Dalton went fishing last Thursday.

The young people enjoyed a party at Mr. Childress' Monday night.

Misses Eunice and Violet Johnson of Ivan visited their sister, Mrs. Childress this week.

Willie Owen had the misfortune of having a horse to kick him.

Most everyone went to Gooseneck Sunday. All who were there had lots of dinner and heard a good sermon.

Mrs. Perkins visited in Ming Bend Sunday night.

Bert Newby visited in Ming Bend Saturday night.

The Ming Bend and Gooseneck ball teams played at the Bend Saturday. The game resulted in 13 to 7 favoring Gooseneck.

RAINY DAY.

Mrs. E. H. Corley of Flat Rock was shopping in Graham Monday.

Mount Pleasant.

We neglected to say last week that a number of our young folks attended the Union Sunday School picnic at Murray Friday 13th. Among them were Harry Blackwood, Fred Fitzgerald, Lewis Brooks and Misses Effie and Nellie Fitzgerald. They report a nice time and speak in the highest terms of Union Sunday schools.

The fields are so foul down on the river (of course mine isn't that way) that the wild animals mistake them for the jungles. Only a few days ago John Timmons saw a deer, that is he got a glimpse of it now and then crossing the Timmons farm but John is inclined to think it came from Will Nesbitt's or Billy Pardue's cotton field or possibly from Hollis Moore's, of course it didn't come out of John's cotton. Anyway it seemed to be trying to hide in William Brown's cotton, but they all agree that it was going home to Bill Cole's cotton field just across the river. Look out for him, Little Boy.

J. E. Martin and family went to Graham Friday.

Most of Mt. Pleasant was visited Tuesday by a heavy rain and then a steady downpour all day Wednesday. The ground is wetter than it has been for at least five years, in June.

Marshall Brown's the champion boy cotton chopper of this season so far as we know, he having chopped three acres and one row over last Wednesday, after losing some time on account of a shower. Marshall is only eleven years old.

Clyde Timmons is farming extremely this year. He thinks he will make about eight bales. He is about six years old. Now what little boy has higher expectations than Clyde? That's right, all boys should aim high and strive to attain it.

Dallas Moore, another one of our enterprising little boys has a new saddle. Dallas says he can now go to Sunday school and to see his girl, and he hopes to finally be a stock man.

Now I've no doubt but there are other little boys in this vicinity who deserve notice in The Reporter but we can't think of them just now.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Brown took dinner at the J. E. Martin home Sunday.

Ike McAlister of Miller Bend and Joel Blackwood of Pleasant Hill were mixing with the young folks of Mt. Pleasant Sunday.

Lewis Brooks, William Brown and other Young people attended singing in Miller Bend Sunday.

Rev. W. M. Higgins preached for us Sunday. The words of his text were "One thing thou lackest," Mark 10:21, from which he preached a sermon of simple Bible truths, full of unction and power and which was well received. Uncle Billy, as he is familiarly known, is 79 years old and still loves roasting ears and chicken.

Considerable interest was manifested in the Sunday school.

Say, boys, get your pencils ready and lets black everyone of those amendments to be voted on in a few days. Now we must black all of them in order to get the right one. In fact we can get along all right without either of them.

Plow Boy.

Revival Meetings.

The following is the plan for revival meetings for Graham Mission: Briar Branch, commencing Friday night before first Sunday in July; Henry Chapel, Saturday before second Sunday in July; Salem, Wednesday night before fourth Sunday in July; Upper Tonk, Saturday night before first Sunday in August; Rocky Mound, Wednesday night before third Sunday in August. All christians are invited to take part. Other announcements later.

S. D. COOK, Pastor.

\$125.00 Reward

On or about the 25th of May, 1913, two horses were taken from my pasture, 4 miles east of Graham. One was a sorrel, bald face work horse, small scar in forehead, string-halted in hind legs, about 10 or 12 years old. The other is a light bay horse 3 years old, star in forehead, blaze face, white hind foot; broke to drive and ride. I will pay \$100 reward for sufficient evidence to prosecute the man who took these horses; \$25 reward for the horses.

C. E. Thigpen, Graham, Tex.

Rocky Mound.

Crops are looking fine and almost everyone is through chopping cotton.

Bro. Dickson filled his appointment Sunday morning with a large crowd present.

Mrs. Dan Parsons and little son Duke of Megargel are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Mowery.

A. LaConder and family and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Taylor spent Sunday with Mr. Hunter.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Mowery and Mrs. Don Parsons and baby visited Elbert Mowery and wife Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gray are visiting his father in Lower Tonk.

Miss Alice Goldston and Ira Giant attended church at Oakland Sunday night.

Several Rocky Mound people went to the band concert Friday night and reported it good.

Mrs. Harris of Graham is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Hunter.

Miss Alta Parsons and Rex Cornish of Graham were in this neighborhood Sunday.

Ruth and Ruby Robertson spent Saturday night and Sunday with L. C. Bower.

Mr. Keplinger and family spent Sunday with H. K. Ragland.

Mrs. Don Parsons will leave for her home in Megargel Tuesday, accompanied by her sister, Miss Addye Mowery, who will spend several weeks there.

Misses Juanita Bryan and Hattie Belle Reed attended church at the Mound Sunday.

Virgil Willis and family are visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Goldston.

Dewitt Ragland visited Joe Mowery Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Brewton and son attended church here Sunday.

BLUEBELL.

Chas. Gathins of Red Top was in the city Monday.

Miller Bend.

Cotton chopping is the order of the day at present. Crops look very well though corn is needing rain.

G. W. McAlister made a trip to Graham Saturday.

Mrs. J. W. Wright was the guest of Mrs. J. H. Wright last Saturday.

G. D. Ratliff and family spent Sunday with J. H. Wright and family.

Tom Fitzgerald was in our community Sunday.

The Lindley boys visited Ed Reeves Sunday.

Mrs. E. H. Ratliff and daughter Bessie spent Saturday night and Sunday with J. H. Wright.

J. W. Wright and family went to Proffitt Sunday to be at the bedside of Mrs. Bellamy who is very ill.

Mrs. Lee McCann visited Mrs. McAlister last Saturday.

Uncle Andy McCann is going into the cattle business. He bought two cows and calves last week.

Miss Winnie Ratliff and Mrs. E. H. Ratliff made a trip to Graham Monday.

Albert Elliott is in Miller Bend working for R. E. Griffin.

J. W. Wright and wife visited Mrs. E. H. Ratliff Monday.

Mrs. Myrtle McCann was visiting Mrs. Tina Wright Saturday.

Another good rain fell in Miller Bend Wednesday which was a great benefit to corn and feed stuff.

There was an ice cream supper at G. D. Ratliff's Monday.

The hay baling crew is with us at present but owing to the rain have not done much.

J. H. Wright made a trip to Newcastle Monday.

Bill Cole says if he can't get cotton choppers pretty soon he is going to mow his crop for hay.

A party was enjoyed at J. H. Wright's Thursday night.

Mrs. Walter Dozier is visiting her mother this week.

J. H. Wright and wife visited Mrs. E. H. Ratliff Tuesday.

Miss Lula Dozier spent Thursday night with Mrs. R. E. Griffin.

Ottie Higgin's oldest girl is reported pretty sick.

Mrs. McAlister visited the sick child of Mr. Higgin's Friday.

Eddie Reeves made a trip to Newcastle Thursday.

S. Dozier went to Graham Saturday.

Hazel Dozier visited Mrs. Ida Dozier Thursday.

Mrs. S. Dozier visited Mrs. Tina Wright Thursday.

Miss Lula Dozier visited Mrs. McAlister Thursday.

LITTLE BOY.

Flat Rock.

We have had a nice rain since I was with you last and cotton is looking fairly well.

The attendance at Sunday school was small. Why can't we attend more regularly and try to make our school better? We hope to see every member present next Sunday.

Mrs. Robbins and daughter, Delilah, went to Graham Thursday and Friday.

Brit Alford and wife have purchased their house furniture and moved on Mr. Mabry's place.

Mrs. E. H. Corley visited Mrs. E. E. Corley Friday.

Joe Reed and Carroll Robbins worked on Mr. Robbins' place on Rock Creek last week.

Tug Burk and sister Bessie and Miss Lona Corley attended church at Graham Tuesday night.

Mrs. Burton and daughter spent Sunday at Mr. Taylor's.

Bro. Hall preached a fine sermon Sunday.

Miss Willie Hodges is visiting her sister in Montague county.

Miss Lona Corley was sick the past week but is all right now.

Sid Corley visited his mother the latter part of the week.

Tug Burk left Wednesday for Krum to work in a blacksmith shop.

Mrs. R. W. J. Parsons visited Mrs. Quitman Nelson Sunday.

Bob Corley spent Saturday night and Sunday with Brit Alford.

Mrs. Graves and daughter, Miss Myrtle Moore, visited Mrs. E. H. Corley Thursday.

Mr. Robbins is improving his home.

Raymond Reed and wife of Graham visited Mr. and Mrs. Lud Martin Saturday night.

Mrs. Alford returned Wednesday night from Caney Springs, Tenn., where she visited several months.

Misses Myrtle Moore and Leta Hodges visited Miss Lona Corley Sunday.

Mrs. Corley shopped in Graham Monday.

Mrs. S. D. Cook and daughter, Birdie, visited C. J. Cook Saturday night and W. A. Cook Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Burk of Rock Creek spent Saturday night and Sunday with J. H. Robbins.

Harbert Parsons left Loving last Wednesday for Munday.

Brit Alford and wife visited E. H. Corley Friday night and Saturday.

Walter Robbins is spending the week at Dan Burk's.

Miss Bessie Burk visited Miss Lona Corley Wednesday.

Mrs. Graves went to town Saturday.

Mrs. Lucy Mayes is reported better.

Lud Martin and family visited Mr. Alford Thursday evening.

CANDY KID.

Indian Mound.

Sunday school was very well attended.

The little child of Mr. and Mrs. Carr Rutherford is better at this writing, also the child of Mr. and Mrs. Dollins.

A little 11-year-old boy of Mr. Newman's stuck a pitchfork in his eye last week.

John Newman got a finger mashed some time ago but is getting along all right at present.

Sam and Homer Bird of Olney visited D. Bird Sunday.

The singing at D. Bird's Sunday evening was fine considering the number present.

Miss Jimmie Bird who is attending the Normal at Jacksboro visited homefolks Saturday and Sunday.

J. S. Fisher and daughter, Miss Minnie, visited Austin Bird and wife Sunday.

G. W. McComas visited his daughter, Mrs. E. G. Williamson Sunday.

G. M. James made a flying trip west of here Sunday.

Hillard and Wesley Taylor visited Charlie James Sunday and report a fine time.

Lamar Smith visited at Mr. Bird's Sunday evening.

Eli Slaughter and family visited at Mr. Newman's Sunday.

Uncle George Slaughter ate Sunday dinner with W. N. Fisher.

Joe Taylor and family visited his mother at Flint Creek last Friday night.

Viva and Willie Baugh and Esta Price of Graham visited the home of G. M. James Saturday and Sunday.

Joe Taylor went to J. S. Walker's east of Graham Sunday evening and Mrs. Taylor's grandmother, Mrs. Humphreys, with her two grandchildren, Phonie and Ola Kelley, returned home with him to spend a few days.

W. W. Williamson has purchased a hopper catcher. Look out Mr. Hopper.

R. G. Taylor was in the Loving community last Friday and reports crop prospects fine.

G. M. James finished cutting his grain Monday.

Lloyd Hightower of White Rose was at Indian Mound Sunday.

D. James of Orth was among friends and relatives here last week.

John Newman and lady friend were enjoying a pleasant drive Sunday evening.

We had the finest rain last week we have had this season.

People here were expecting the thresher this week had it not rained today.

W. W. Williamson was running his hopper catcher Monday and we learn that he only harvested seven and a half bushels in his millet patch. Some hoppers I think. KID.



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For some time past considerable complaint has been made by the people in the country west of town about dumping the stable cleanings at the Salt Creek bridge. The practice has surely been a nuisance, but we believe we have arrived at a solution of the problem that will be beneficial to all concerned. The men who own the stables must necessarily get rid of the manure, and as a result must hire some one to haul it off. A better method we believe, and one that would forever put a stop to the practice of dumping it where it would be offensive, would be for the farmers who live a reasonable distance from town to take out a load of this stable manure every time they come to town and dump it on their farms, either on certain spots, like the orchard, garden or truck patch, or in any other place where they think it would be of the most benefit. Thousands upon thousands of bulletins have been sent out from agricultural colleges over the country showing the value of stable manure as a fertilizer and here it is being thrown away and has become a nuisance because of that fact. If our farmer friends were just a little more thrifty they could solve the problem for themselves to their own advantage.

On account of the fact that no contractor would agree to build the new addition to the school house for the amount of the bonds voted on some time back, the trustees have met and ordered an election for additional bonds. This action is absolutely necessary in order to carry out the proposed plans which would put the school building in the condition it should be. We trust the qualified voters in this election will show loyalty to our school by polling a substantial vote in favor of the additional bonds.

Some time ago the city council passed an ordinance prohibiting the riding of bicycles or motorcycles upon the sidewalks of the city. This law is being flagrantly violated, yet no steps have been taken to punish the offenders. Now, we want to urge the boys who are still riding wheels on the walks that patience will soon cease to be a virtue and somebody's dad will have to dig up a few simoleons to get you out of trouble. If the city council had intended for you to keep on riding on the sidewalks they would not have passed an ordinance prohibiting it. The streets are plenty wide to ride on and if they don't happen to be smooth enough to suit you, get a bunch of boys and roll them till they suit your fancy. The city authorities will not object to this and you will not be violating any law.

Graham is just a bit behind the times in the matter of protecting yards, shade trees, etc. from the ravages of the town cow and horses. Neither is this all the damage that is done. Farmers who come to Graham to trade must leave their produce to the mercy of cows and horses while they are in the stores buying supplies, and when a portion of this consists of flour and meal the purchaser must stand guar-

over his wagon or buggy to prevent the destruction of a goodly portion of the contents of the sacks in which these products are placed. This is an evil that should be easily corrected, as much less pretentious towns than Graham boast of stock laws and in many such towns there is a total absence of yard fences, the sidewalks are beautified with elegant shade trees, the yards with shrubbery and flowers and a general appearance of beauty and cleanliness prevails. Are we to be less progressive than we should be?

Since the heavy rains of about two months ago the condition of the city water has been such as to provoke serious comment from users thereof. Before these rains the water was clear as crystal, but since then it has been greatly discolored and almost wholly unfit for drinking purposes. We do not know the cause of this condition, but it appears to us that it could have been remedied by this time. Many residences in the city depend wholly on this water to drink and for the health of those who are compelled to use it, it should be kept as pure as possible.

At a meeting of the city council Tuesday an ordinance was passed assessing a tax of from one to ten dollars a day on all peddlers, hucksters, auctioneers, etc., who sell goods within the streets and alleys of Graham. This, we believe, is a wise law, as it will force people who want to sell goods in Graham to open a place of business and put themselves on an equal footing with the established houses in the city, so far as rent is concerned.

During a meeting of the officers and directors of the United Charities of Dallas the other day, to consider ways and means of providing revenues for that organization, made by Mr. Alex Sanger, was adopted that those who are fortunate in real estate speculations be asked to contribute some small part of their profits. To quote our own report of the matter, "the finance committee was instructed to get busy whenever announcement is made of a sale of real estate at a good gain for a person who has held it a comparatively short while and done nothing to improve it." Such a profit, it was remarked, "ought to be shared with the unfortunate of the city." Here, we have a revival of the practice of tithing under a variation, and in this case with even more moral warrant than could be thought to support the Mosaic practice. For man does contribute some pretty considerable effort to the increase of his flocks and herds, and tremendously to the increase of his fields, and if it was thought proper to give one-tenth of the increase brought about in such large part by labor, how much more ethically incumbent may it not be thought to give some part of the increase or increment of real estate values, to which he who reaps it contributes too little to be calculated?—Dallas News.

Fine! Fine! But how many speculators in Dallas are willing to give any amount in this man-

ner? Most of the real estate men in Dallas who are Christian men are now turning over part of their earnings to church and charity, and those who hardly feel called upon to increase their appropriations. And the fellow who is identified with neither church or charity, how are you going to make him jar loose from what he thinks is hard earned coin? In a city like Dallas we believe a special tax should be levied on all estates valued at more than \$10,000, for the use of constituted charitable organization in relieving the sufferings of the poor. Then every man of means would be a contributor in just proportion to what he owns.

City Ordinance No. 60.

An ordinance levying a tax on vendors, peddlers, merchants, auctioneers, hucksters and traders in fruits and produce, goods, wares and merchandise as a street permit, where such persons use the streets and alleys of the city of Graham in which to ply their trade or calling, and providing a penalty for the refusal or failure to pay such tax.

Be it Ordained by the City Council of the City of Graham:

Section 1. That from and after the passage of this Ordinance there shall be levied and collected the sum of not less than one dollar and not more than ten dollars per day on all vendors, hucksters, peddlers, auctioneers and traders who ply their trade within the streets or alleys of the City of Graham for the purpose of selling or trading fruit, produce, goods, wares and merchandise.

Section 2. That any person or persons who shall so ply their trade or avocation within the streets or alleys of the City of Graham and who refuse or fail to pay said tax shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof shall be punished by a fine of not less than five nor more than one hundred dollars, and each day said offense is committed shall constitute a separate offense and shall be punished as such.

S. BOYD STREET, Mayor.
Correct Attest:
T. E. WALLACE, City Sec.

FOR SALE—A second-hand bookcase, in good condition. See J. F. H. Crabb.

Willis Orrell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wade Orrell, was considerably bruised up last Monday by an angry bull when he went to the pasture to turn some cows in. The bull pawed him and butted him around over the ground, but fortunately the bull had been dehorned. Several people went to the boy's rescue in time to prevent him from being killed.

Col. J. N. Adair and S. A. Cates of Jean were in the city on business yesterday.

Mayor S. B. Street has recently bought a Ford touring car.

The Inter Club meets with Mrs. W. T. Finch Friday afternoon. All members are urged to be present.

Rev. and Mrs. Gaines B. Hall were made to rejoice Tuesday morning by the arrival of a fine baby girl.

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W. C. T. U.

Items for this column are furnished by local Union.

A splendid and forcibly illustrated temperance lecture by Mr. Carney, a Baptist Minister, occupied the 11 o'clock hour at the Baptist church Sunday, two weeks ago. By means of pictures drawn by himself with colored crayons he impressed many truths concerning the evils of drinking and cigarette smoking, the hold they have upon our Nation and the yawning hell awaiting our victims. The beauties of filial love and the joys of going home to heaven after our earthly journey was portrayed in the picture of the aged father and mother traveling hand in hand. The young people and little boys and girls were brought forward and addressed particularly as being the future citizens and makers of their destiny owing to the way they start. The word "murder" was shown to them to spell "rel ram" when spelled backwards. He said he would rather talk to one boy than fifteen men.

Mr. Carney is moving to San Antonio from Ft. Worth, the strong hold of the saloon, where in his gospel temperance auto he hopes to make three towns per day in South Texas continuing his work of the last fifteen years as maker of temperance sentiment where most needed and here he hopes to live to see Texas dry in 1914.

We were indeed glad to welcome so faithful a worker who has suffered persecution and grown grey in these open air meetings and campaigns to which he is devoted, and most sincerely hope he'll come again.

The Narcotic Catechism.

Does not the burning of tobacco destroy the poison in it? It does not. The nicotine is drawn into the mouth with the smoke, and is then absorbed in the blood. This makes the cells act too slowly and prevents proper growth.

What are some of the effects of tobacco-using? Tobacco lessens the sense of taste, often causing a poor appetite, and has an unwholesome effect upon the organs of digestion. Catarrh, hoarseness and throat trouble are common among those using tobacco.

What are some of the effects of cigaret-smoking? Cigaret-smoking irritates the delicate lining of the mouth, throat and lungs. At the same time it narcotizes the nerves that control the breathing and the smoker suffers from lack of air. It weakens the nerves that control the heart, thus making it beat irregularly, and while working much harder than before, it accomplishes less and the blood becomes purple instead of a bright red. This loss of oxygen makes the smoker feel nervous and blue.

Does cigaret-smoking affect digestion? As the boy smokes the stomach becomes overstimulated and overworked. It secretes digestive juices that are not needed and cannot be used. Therefore it grows weak, and fails to produce enough when needed, and the boy digesting badly begins to be pale and half-starved. E. S. D.

If you want the highest cash price for your chickens see me.

Scarborough Mabry.

Mr. and Mrs. N. S. Farmer were called to Ft. Worth Tuesday on account of the illness of Mr. Farmer's mother.

Chas. Kelley of Padgett and Seth Boynton of Newcastle favored The Reporter with a call while in the city last week.

Joe Vaughan was in the city on business Tuesday.

Messrs. J. M. and Geo. Tidwell and their two sons of Mexico arrived in the city Tuesday for a visit to the family of W. I. Tidwell. They came in an auto, encountering considerable rain and mud enroute.

Found: A lady's silk glove. Owner can have same by applying at this office.

Mal Wallace went to Petrolia Wednesday to be with his brother Jim, who is quite sick.

Don't sell your chickens until you see me. I will pay you highest cash price.
Scarborough Mabry.

Mrs. L. D. Clark and mother, Mrs. Chisholm, left Tuesday for Little Rock, Ark., to visit Mrs. Burkhead, a daughter of Mrs. Chisholm.

Miss Lucille Crabb, who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. F. H. Crabb, left for her home in Stamford Tuesday.

WANTED. Help at once. A cook, waiter and a chambermaid. Apply at Dolman House.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Burkett left this morning for Mineral Wells. Mrs. Burkett will remain for two or three weeks.

Miss Vera Norman returned Monday from Mineral Wells.

How's This?

W. T. Walker of Oakland community was in yesterday evening with a stalk of Mebane cotton, which had in addition to blooms several well formed bolls of good size. He reports about ten acres in this cotton and about ninety acres in other variety, all doing fine.

Mr. Walker also had a quantity of Alexander peaches and a fine sample of cooking apples, which proves Young county a great fruit country with the proper attention and required moisture.



First Microbe—What's the new germ-looking so stuck up about?

Second Microbe—Why, he had his portrait published in one of the leading scientific monthlies 8,000 times life size.

The Priscilla Club.

Mrs. Evans Mabry had the Priscillas and a number of other ladies as her guests on Tuesday. It was regular meeting day for the Priscilla Club and quite a number of members were present and the display of fancy work was quite up to the standard of the Club. Mesdames Crabb and Rose rendered musical numbers and the needles and tongues, by they ever so busy, always cease at once when a piano or vocal number is announced.

The charming hostess whose every thought is for the pleasure of her guests served quite a new salad, stuffed prunes with mayonnaise dressing, pimento and cheese sandwiches, iced tea, devils food cake and fresh peaches.

Those who enjoyed Mrs. Mabry's hospitality who were not club members were Mesdames Wynns, R. E. Mabry, Short, McCain, Melton, Carlton, Parrish, Miller, Allbright, Elliott, Rose, A. A. Morrison, LeBeaux of Cisco, Bowman of Austin, Mason of San Angelo, Misses McCain and Bowman of Austin.

The club meets next Tuesday with Mrs. C. B. Jones.

VARIETY OF WEDDING CUSTOM

Bridal Costume of White is One of the Oldest, Though Other Colors Have Been Worn.

The many countries of the world all have different wedding customs. The custom of brides wearing white is an old one. White has always been the symbol of purity, and this is the main reason why it has been used in all ages and in all civilized countries as the color of the bridal gown. In old days the Hebrew and Roman brides often wore pale yellow veils, and among the so-called "barbarian" nations—such as the early Saxons, Goths and Norsemen—the bride allowed her hair to hang loose as a symbol of her freedom, until entering her husband's house, when it was bound up upon her head as a sign of her future submission.

This idea was held by the Anglo-Saxons until a recent date. A great many flowers were always used at the early weddings and each kind of flower had some special meaning.

Among the Greeks and Italians the myrtle and olive were intertwined with white and purple flowers, the white standing for the bride's purity and the purple for Christ's blood. Roses, myrtle and rosemary were worn among the English. Pansies were also often used. The rose meant love and secrecy. One old marriage custom consisted in each guest dipping his spray of rosemary into his cup of wine before he drank the health and happiness of the bridal couple.

HIS PA'S IN CONGRESS



"That is an odd name your brother has."

"Yes; pa calls him 'Appropriation Bill' because he's stealin' pie and preserves all the time."

ANIMALS USED TO TEST DRUGS

Use is made by chemical manufacturers of various animals, such as chickens, dogs, cats and frogs, to test the efficacy of drugs. Ergotine, for instance, is tested on chickens in an extremely simple way. Should it fail to turn a chicken's comb black it is at once known by the experimenter that the drug is worthless. Dogs are employed to test hashish. This is manufactured from female buds of hemp, the male buds having no particular medicinal value. Hashish administered to dogs induces a peculiar pathological condition, and, if the drug is correctly prepared, which is seen in no other animal save man himself. Digitalis, the heart stimulant, is best tested on frogs. Injecting a drop of the drug into the stomach of the frog, the chemist, by means of the kymograph, or heart recording machine, studies the changes of the frog's heart action, thus obtaining accurate knowledge as to the effect of that particular kind of digitalis.

UNCOVERED BURIED CITY.

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 cleared away and more than one hundred caves were discovered. Ruins of baths, houses and palaces were also laid bare, and practically the entire city uncovered. Owing to opposition on the part of President Billinghurst and his congress, Professor Bingham declares he does not intend to return to Peru in the near future.

WANT MORE TO BREAK.

Church—What are those English suffragettes after, anyway?

Gotham—Oh, they want to help make the laws.

"Why, they break the laws we have now!"

"I know it; but there are not enough laws to break. They want to make some more!"

AUTO AILMENTS.

A formidable array of nervous and other ailments has been charged against motoring, the victims for the most part being women, indicating that this sport is over strenuous for them. Among the ailments are the "auto eye" and the "auto leg." The auto eye is a spasm of the ciliary muscles, which govern accommodations for distances, the sight being constantly and rapidly attracted by objects now near, now distant, making an abnormal strain on the visual mechanism. The Journal of the American Medical Association describes the auto leg as a cramp due to sitting in one position for hours while the veins and muscles are under strain from consecutive shocks and joltings over hard roads.

FINISHED.

"What is a finishing school?"

"A finishing school? You want to know what a finishing school is?"

"Yes. I understand you sent your daughter to one."

"I don't know. All I know is that it finished my balance at the bank."

TRAIT OF OLD FAMILY.

"They say she comes of a very old family."

"I don't doubt it. One can see the family trait in her very clearly."

"What trait?"

"Age."—Boston Transcript.

OFFICIAL ACTIVITY.

"What are the principal activities of the official position our friend occupies?"

"Those involved in holding on to it," replied Senator Sorghum.

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Marvin and Walkup Young of Farmer were in the city Monday.

C. S. Wynns spent Sunday in Ft. Worth.

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

Tom Alford is visiting relatives in Ennis, Groesbeck and other points.

Raymond Reed and wife spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Lud Martin in the Flat Rock community.

J. L. Graves was on the sick list Friday.

Have your piano or organ tuned by an expert of eleven years' factory experience. Carroll's Studio.

J. A. Driver of Bunker was in town Monday.

M. M. Wallace suffered a painful accident last week by breaking a bone in his right hand.

J. W. Jackson returned Monday night from a trip to Oklahoma.

Chas. Hinson spent Sunday in Jacksboro.

We want to buy all your fresh eggs. Will pay market price for them. Owen Bros.

A. J. Cantwell, the popular groceryman of Jean, was here on business Tuesday.

Will Benson of Olney spent a few days in Graham the past week.

Carl and Ed Arnold went to Newcastle Monday. Ed will do some engineering work in the mines there.

If not satisfied with your flour try queen of the pantry. Graves & Ward.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Waggoner returned to their home in Rising Star this week after a pleasant visit to friends in the city.

A. M. Cole was in the city this week on a visit to his family after spending some time in South Texas.

Don't drink hot water; get ice from the Graham Ice Co. and have good, cold water to drink.

Miss Stroud, milliner for S. B. Street & Co., will leave this week for her home in Floresville, Tex. She will return this fall and take the same position.

Rollie Voules went to Mineral Wells this week to see his wife, who is slowly convalescing. She will no doubt be sufficiently improved in a few days to return home.

If you want ice delivered to your residence, phone the plant; we'll be glad to leave you all you want.—Graham Ice Co.

Rev. and Mrs. R. F. Brown of Midlothian are visiting R. E. Lynch and family.

Rev. J. W. McCain of Waco will occupy the pulpit at the Methodist church on the first Sunday in July. Don't fail to hear him.

William Foster, a prominent stockman of Markley, was here on business Monday.

O. A. McBrayer of South Bend was in town Monday.

Ice any time of the day at the plant in any quantity.—Graham Ice Co.

We sell Queen of the Pantry and Majesty flour.—Graves & Ward.

Dr. H. N. Lancaster, connected with the Harris Sanitarium of Ft. Worth spent several days in the city this week, visiting Hal Jackson. Dr. Lancaster was Hal's physician during the severe illness he had some time ago.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Lynch and Miss Annabelle Nelson made a pleasure trip to Mineral Wells Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. W. King returned Friday from Morgan's Mill, in Erath county where they had been visiting Mr. King's father.

Graham and vicinity is still the recipient of light showers and heavy downpours and prospects look very flattering at this time.

Mrs. G. S. Mason and sons, Homer and Wallace, of San Angelo, are visiting Mrs. M. E. Sloan.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Walstad of Tampa, Texas, are visiting Mrs. Walstad's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jonas Ely.

Mrs. J. E. Parsons and daughter, Fay, and Miss May Hunter visited in Weatherford last week.

Mrs. Jesse Wilkins is visiting in Ft. Worth.

Miss Frances Kuykendall left Saturday for her home in Weatherford after a several day's visit with friends in the city.

No-Dust Antiseptic.

We have the Crescent Carpet Sweep in 3 lb. cans. The thing for fine rugs and carpets. The Graham Printing Co.

Preserve your letters in a letter file. We have them from 35c to 75c. Invoice files 75c up. Graham Printing Co.

The Magnolia Oil Co. completed a store house this week on the right-of-way near the depot.

Mrs. T. H. Bowman and daughter, Miss Byrd, of Austin, are visiting in the city, guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. Hall Bowman.

John Gallaher made a business trip to Dallas last week.

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

Notice of Removal.

I have moved to the old Young County Lumber Co. office, four doors north of postoffice. Bring me all your chickens, turkeys, butter, eggs, hides and furs. D. J. Brandon.

Justice of the Peace J. W. Saye and little son of Loving were in the city on business last Friday.

Messrs. W. P. Reynolds, R. H. Chancellor and J. F. Kilcrease, representative business men of Olney were transacting business in Graham Friday.

Services at Methodist Church.

On next Sunday all the usual services will be held at our church. Inasmuch as I will be absent the first weeks in July, I am anxious for all to attend who can. Let all come and have a good day in God's service. J. HALL BOWMAN.

Lost.—On Wednesday, June 18th, between Eliasville and the Washburn farm, a 16-gauge, single-barrel, choke bore shotgun. Finder please notify or return to E. E. Hall, Graham, Texas and receive reward.

Rev. J. Hall Bowman spent Sunday in Weatherford.

Mr. and Mrs. Earle Downs of Ft. Worth were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Price Sunday. Mrs. Downs sang a beautiful solo at the Presbyterian church Sunday morning preceding the sermon.

S. Boyd Street and mother leave today for a visit to Winslow, Ark.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Norman have returned from Oklahoma, where they visited Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Kidwell.

Miss Lauretta Crabb returned last week to her home in Stamford after several days spent with her brother, J. F. H. Crabb.

Lois and Oliver Loving spent Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Graham.

Rev. and Mrs. Allen Albright of Cleburne, Texas, spent several days in the city this week, guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Morrison.

Rev. Edwin Wickens of Fort Worth occupied the pulpit of the Episcopal church in Graham last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Parker and little son of Newcastle were in the city this week visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. J. A. Cooper.

Mrs. St. Clair and daughter of New Orleans are visiting in the city, guests of Miss Minnie Rutenkoening.

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J. R. Walcup and assistants arrived from Seymour Tuesday to do some concrete work in the city, part of which will be the laying of a sidewalk from R. F. Short & Co's. store to the walk on the west side of the new Finch building.

Pete Fry of Jean spent a couple of days in Graham this week.

To our out-of-town readers—We invite you to call on us when in town and examine our stock of tablets, inks, pencils, pens, fancy box stationery and sundries, Graham Printing Co.

E. W. Fry, J. E. Simpson, I. B. Padgett and other Masons of this city were in Farmer Tuesday night assisting in the installation of officers in that lodge.

Judge J. W. Akin made a business trip to Dallas this week.

Judge R. F. Arnold was in Wichita Falls on legal business this week.

Elder J. H. Fisher went to Odell this week to fill his regular appointment there.

FOR SALE—One Blakesley 5-h. p., horizontal gasoline engine, in perfect condition, for sale at a bargain. This is an exceptionally good engine, running steadily as a steam engine. Have installed electric power reason for selling. If you are needing such an engine call in and see this one. GRAHAM PRINTING CO.

Farmers Union to Meet.

The county union will meet at Graham July 4. A speaker of statewide reputation will be here to address the union. Everyone interested in the price of cotton, whether members of the union or not, are cordially invited to attend this meeting, which will be held at 10 o'clock a. m. Speaking dates are also announced for the following places: Center Ridge, July 5. Flint Creek, July 7. Loving, July 8. Lone Oak, July 9. Lamar, July 10. Hunt, July 11. Wheatland, July 12.

The speeches will commence promptly at 8:30 p. m. and the people living in these sections are urged to be in attendance, as subjects of vital importance to every farmer will be discussed. E. B. MORELAND, Pres.

Want Ads

Real Estate

FOR SALE.—Improved farm, 80 acres, 25 imp., 3 rent houses, barns, sheds, etc., iron cistern, stock tank, 3-acre bearing orchard. Write or come and see me: E. H. Rowe, 1½ miles northwest of Graham.

Livestock

Stock horses for sale, all ages, also jack and jennet colts in good condition. At my pasture, Duff Prairie. For prices apply to W. E. Moore.

FOR SALE—Registered Poland-China boar; \$25 will take him if sold during the month of June. Pedigree guaranteed.

R. G. TAYLOR, Rt. 2, Graham, Texas.

FOR SALE—One fine, large red cow and calf. Apply at C. F. Newman's farm, Loving, Texas.

Miscellaneous

For Sale—A good No. 6 Remington typewriter, cheap. Apply at postoffice.

FOR SALE—Motor attachment for bicycle, Shaw make, 2½-horse power. Can be seen at Widmayer's Garage.

POSTED NOTICE—No hunting or fishing allowed in my pasture, four miles north of Graham. All trespassers will be prosecuted. Tom Rutherford.

Prince.

A Percheron Cleveland bay stallion, 16 hands high, weight 1500 pounds, will stand at my farm two miles north of Graham. Season to insure, \$10. Will pasture mares. H. H. STEPHENS.

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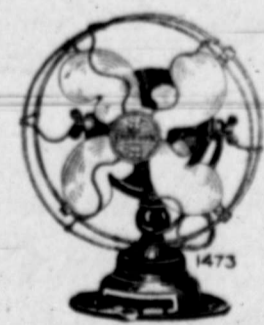
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