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ALBERT H. LUKER, EDITOR AND PUBLISHER.

ONE DOLLAR PER YEAR. PAYABLE IN ADVANCE

DUE TO ARRIVE THIS WEEK,

The Nicest Line of Buggy Harness

Ever Shown in Grapeland. Also Buggy Cushions, Umbrella Tops, etc. Be sure to see them and get Prices.

Come to Grapeland to buy your Buggies and Harness.

I have just received a solid car of buggies direct from the factory. By buying in car lots, I am able to name you a very low price. In fact, I will meet any legitimate competition. I have bought nothing but standard grades of Buggies and I personally guarantee every Buggy that I sell. You are invited one and all to come and inspect these buggies.

They will show for themselves.

I ALSO HAVE

I also want to do your blacksmith work, horse shoeing etc. Very Respectfully,

Buggy axles, buggy wheels, buggy poles and shafts. Let me fix your old buggies up.

A. B. GUICE, At the Blacksmith Shop.

How to Destroy Boll Weevils.

Having examined a great many cotton fields in Houston and adjoining Counties recently, I find some boll weevils in the cotton, and as there are not many at this season of the year, I desire to call your attention to the fact, and suggest remedies for preventing them from destroying a great deal of your cotton; and if you will follow out these suggestions you can grow a fine crop of cotton in spite of them.

The cotton is now forming as well as I have ever seen it, and by saving the squares that it will put on in the next four weeks, a good crop will assured; and it can be done to a very great extent.

The weevils have appeared in some sections of the field; and by watching closely they can be held in check and kept from spreading. Where there are children they may be hand-picked, both weevils and punctured squares.

Many farmers are doing this now. Why not you?

Keep your sweeps going, go over your cotton every eight to ten days; don't stop for dry weather, plow shallow, keep a dust-mulch; and attach a brush to your single-trees, which will knock many of the weevils and punctured squares off the stalk and into the dust mulch; thereby destroying a large per cent; for the hot dust will surely kill them.

But if season continue, pick the squares and burn them, for burying them in moist soil will not kill them.

Remember that one hundred

weevils destroyed now, will prevent thousands later on, and this will save you, from perhaps, one to ten bales of cotton.

It is up to you to save your crop, and make a good yield.

Don't neglect to follow out the instructions; go now and examine your cotton, and if you find any punctured squares, destroy them and hunt out the weevil, for there are but few now, and by doing so you may destroy the whole colony.

Be sure to plow often and shallow, keep a dust mulch, and I verily believe you will be abundantly paid for all your labor.

Yours most truly,

H. W. Beeson, Special Agt. Farmers Cooperation Demonstration Work.

Senator Stokes Will Wed.

Austin Texas July 2.—Mrs. M. C. Hillyer announced yesterday the engagement of her daughter Miss Mable Hillyer to State Senator C. C. Stokes of Crockett. Mrs. Hillyer with four charming daughters of whom Miss Mable is the first to be married formerly lived in Palestine, coming here several years ago to place her daughters in the university where Miss Mable has been a student, besides being in the abjutant general's office and serving during the Thirty-first legislature as a stenographer in the house. The wedding will be celebrated on July 28 at the First Baptist church of Austin.—Houston Chronicle.

Clyde Davis of Corrigan is here on a visit to his parents.

Escaped Convict Captured.

Constable S. C. Spence of this place and Constable Bob Spence of Crockett captured an escaped negro convict north of town last week. Hugh Neely, a negro who lives alone south of town, sent the constable word that his house had been burglarized and some of his clothing were missing. About the same time word was received from Mr. Webb Brooks that his house had been entered by a negro and his watch was missing. Constable Spence went at once to the scene and captured the negro, who proved to be an escaped convict from the Eastham farm, and carried him to the authorities at Crockett. Neely recovered his clothing, but Mr. Brooks is still out his watch.

Jim Lowery on Texas.

How is this from the Honey Grove Signal for a tribute to the Lone Star of Texas: "There are five points to the Texas star and every one of them shines with true Democratic lustre. One hangs over the sable soil of the northern division, where the chiggers hold high carnival every summer and the boll worm hath all seasons for his own; another juts out into East Texas where a politician is born every minute and the sandtiddler executes a can-can before breakfast; another holds its light over the panhandle that the prairie dog may find its way from hole to hole and the real estate agents' imagination may have full course and be not dimmed; another shines for the

coast country where the bobolink bobs its bobbiest bob and the geysers throw petroleum at the angels; another hath its moorings in the southwest, where the fat steer points his tail at the sun and bellows a paean of victory but every point shines for Democracy and every twinkle is a forget-me-not of the star-eyed goddess of reform. When your soul is sick of reading the returns from the effete East, the inconstant West and the elusive Middle States, let your eye rest upon the figures from glorious old Texas and your heart will swell to the proportions of a Republican electoral majority."

A Millionaire's Baby attended by the highest priced baby specialist could not be cured of stomach or bowel trouble any quicker or surer than your baby if you give it McGee's Baby Elixir. Cures diarrhoea, dysentary and all derangements of the stomach or bowels. Price 25c and 50c. Sold by A. S. Porter.

Rev. J. B. Luker of Edgewood was here a few days this week visiting relatives.

Bowel Complaint in Children.

When six months old the little daughter of E. N. Dewey, a merchant of Agnewville, Va. had an attack of cholera infantum. Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy was given and effected a complete cure. This remedy has proven very successful in cases of bowel complaint in children and when given according to the plain printed directions can be relied upon with perfect confidence. When reduced with water and sweetened it is pleasant to take, which is of great importance when a medicine must be given to young children. For sale by D. N. Leaverton.

The weather the past few days has been very warm, and the question of the hour is, "Is it hot enough for you?"

ABSTRACTS

You cannot sell your land without an abstract showing perfect title. Why not have your lands abstracted and your titles perfected? We have the only complete, up-to-date abstract of the land titles of Houston county.

ADAMS & YOUNG
Crockett, Texas

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DESCRIPTION—Bordaux is a fine black Jack, stands 15 hands high, has white points on nose, with white belly; was foaled on the 13th day of June 1902; he is registered in the American Jack Association and has a fine pedigree.

Season fee.....\$10.00

Will stand at my place, formerly the C. W. Simpson, place, 7 miles N.W. of Grapeland

A. K. FRETZ, Owner,

Grapeland Messenger

ALBERT H. LUKER, EDITOR.

SUBSCRIPTION—IN ADVANCE:
 ONE YEAR.....\$1.00
 SIX MONTHS.....50 CENTS
 THREE MONTHS.....25 CENTS

Entered in the Postoffice at Grapeland, Texas, every Thursday as second class Mail Matter.

"Look up, not down." You may see an airship.

When Boss Aldrich rings the bell, the Senate crew falls in line.

Mrs. Howard Gould might write for some ladies journal a series of articles on "How a woman can dress neatly on \$40,000 a year."

It is some comfort to reflect that the New York man who claims to be able to talk 65,000 words an hour has no ambition to come to Texas and run for the legislature.

Yes it is little things that hurt. A common every-day measly little fly will make an orthodox Christian swear forty strokes to the minute, while if the same man had his head taken off by a July tornado he wouldn't say a word about it.

Fight your own battles. Hoe your own row. Ask no favors of anyone and you'll succeed a thousand times better than one who is always beseeching some one's interest and patronage. No one will ever help you as you help yourself, because no one will be so heartily interested in your affairs, the first step will not be such a long one, perhaps; by carving your own way up the mountain each step leads to another, and stand while you chop still another.

There is nothing that calls attention and draws people to a town equal to a good newspaper. In order for a man to make a good newspaper he must have the patronage of the people among whom he lives. If he has half way support it stands to reason that he must make a poorer paper, and in doing this every man in the town and surrounding country has to bear a portion of the loss. For this reason, if no other, the man who tries to make a good newspaper should have the support of the people, all of whom reap fully as much benefit from its efforts as he does himself.

Every growing ambitious town is composed of three elements. Those who work patriotically, vigorously and intelligently for its advancement; those who are in a state of apathy or indifference and those who take a curious delight in discouraging the effort of others by ridicule, and by persistent denial that any progress can or has been accomplished, and by boasts of every other town besides their own. The last class are called croakers, but they are really something worse, for their opposition does not arise simply from despondency but from that unenviable spirit that will neither act itself or suffer others to act.

If you want the best hat to be had for the price, get a Beaver from Kennedy Bros.

Mr. J. R. Richards has charge of our coffin department and will wait on you day or night.
 George E. Darsey.

League Program.

For Sunday July 11.
 Song by League.
 Leader—Miss Mattie Spruill.
 Invocation—Miss Jewel Taylor.
 Song by League.
 Reading—Miss Eva Lou Faris.
 Solo—Miss Anabel Davis.
 Recitation—Miss Cleo Murchison.
 Song by League.
 Roll call—Miss Luna Taylor.
 Benediction.

Junior league program for Sunday, July, 11.
 Opening Hymn.
 Leader—Mamie Cain.
 Prayer.
 Roll call.
 Reading minutes.
 Reports from departments.
 Reading—Smith Daily.
 Song.
 Miscellaneous business.
 Benediction.

To Confederate Pensioners.

Applicants for Confederate pensions will please meet me at Lovelady Monday July 19th. 1909, Grapeland Tuesday, 20th., Augusta Wednesday, 21th., Kennard Friday July 23rd.
 E. Winfree C. J.

For men's patent leather low quarter shoes, gun metal shoes, valour calf shoes, kid shoes, tan shoes, or any kind of shoes, go to F. A. Faris—the shoe man.

You will find at Geo. E. Darsey's a complete line of Caskets, Coffins and Burial Robes. Mr. J. R. Richards has charge of this department and will wait on you day or night.

We are requested to announce that a protracted meeting will begin at the Christian church on Friday before the third Sunday in July. Bro. Trimble will be assisted by Rev. J. A. Arnold of Crockett.

We glean from the Livingston Enterprise that Edens Hollingsworth has resigned as manager of the telephone company and accepted a position with Gerlach & Bros. as bookkeeper.

A change was made in the train schedules last Sunday, which is as follows: North bound, No. 2 due at 12:17 p. m. No. 4 due at 9:14 p. m. South bound, No. 3 due at 9:15 a. m. No. 5 due at 11:39 p. m.

Mr. Geo. E. Darsey returned last week from an extended visit to his brother and other relatives in Georgia. He was accompanied home by Mr. W. D. Henderson, father of "our" Joe. Mr. Henderson will probably return this week.

T. H. Leaverton has purchased the Totty Hotel from Mr. Ureprung, and we understand will come into possession in about two weeks. We have not been able to learn whether or not Mr. Leaverton will run the hotel or rent it out. We understand several parties have been figuring on renting it.

The protracted meeting in progress at the Methodist church is growing in interest, and good crowds attend every service. The preaching is being done by Rev. Tom Smith, many years ago presiding elder of the old Palestine district. His many old friends are glad of the opportunity to grasp his hand again and to hear him preach the old time gospel in his fearless way. The singing is lead by his son, Frazier Smith.

Record Breaking Values

In Men's and Youth's Clothing for 60 days!

We have just received a shipment of the genuine Milton all wool suitings and cashmeres, light weight for summer wear, in men's and youth's sizes, direct importation from New York, finished in the latest designs, and beautiful patterns, which we offer at astonishing prices. I want you to come and see them, examine them, price them, and if you are going to buy you will take a suit for it is very seldom you will find such values.

Our Dry Goods, Shoes and Grocery departments are complete with good goods at cheap prices. We want your trade.

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Grapeland, Texas

Cures Biliousness, Sick Headache, Sour Stomach, Torpid Liver and Chronic Constipation. Pleasant to take

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Cleanses the system thoroughly and clears sallow complexions of pimples and blotches. It is guaranteed

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Use Bitting Eczena Cure for all skin diseases and piles. Guaranteed. A. S. Porter.

See my new spring samples before placing your order for a new suit. I'll treat you right.
 Odell Faris.

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Bring on heat and often cause your Eczema to give you trouble.

HOOPER'S TETTEREM will absolutely cure you or your money will be refunded.

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Best line of clothing for the money to be had at Faris.

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BECAUSE a check is the best kind of a receipt, containing a full account of the obligation paid. When the bank returns your cancelled checks, file them for future reference in some convenient place.

IN CASE the party whom you paid demands another settlement, refer to your filed checks. His endorsements on the back of the check is sufficient evidence that you paid the bill once.

Bills Paid by Check
Remain Paid.

The **F. & M. State Bank,**

Grapeland, Texas

LOCAL NEWS.

Try Wherry's groceries.

Call at Howard's when in town.

Artie Spence was a visitor to Galveston Sunday.

New stock of dry goods at Wherry's.

Bring your laundry to the Bon Ton.

While it's dull Howard sells low for cash.

FOR SALE OR RENT.—My gin in Grapeland. See J.J. Brooks.

Try Wherry for a shirt when you need one.

More of the best drinks than any place in town at the Bon Ton.

Buy your soft bosom shirts with collars from F. A. Faris.

WANTED—Wood choppers. Apply to S. C. Spence.

Buy your shoes from F. A. Faris.

Kennedy Bros. are showing the best shirt in town for 50c.

Henry Richards of Troupe is here on a visit.

Go to Howard's for pants and overalls.

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QUICKLY CURES

BILIOUSNESS, CONSTIPATION,
DYSPEPSIA, MALARIA, CHILLS
AND FEVER AND ALL LIVER
COMPLAINTS.

HEARTILY RECOMMENDS IT TO HER FRIENDS
Mrs. Maggie Miller, Hugo, Okla.,
writes:—I take pleasure in recommending
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night. I used one bottle and was cured. I
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S. C. Spence, Proprietor

Good Rigs furnished for
trips to any parts of the coun-
ty. Special attention to trav-
eling men. Buggies for Sun-
day afternoon drives.

PRICES REASONABLE

Try Howard for groceries.

Soft drinks hard to beat at the
Bon Ton.

I got mine from Anthony & Al-
sup. It's better and cheaper.

S. T. Anthony went to Hous-
ton Saturday on business.

"Cheap John" prices, but first-
class goods at Wherry's.

We want your chickens and
eggs. F. A. Faris.

Watermelons on ice. Anthony
& Alsup.

The best cream in town Kandy
Kid at the Bon Ton.

The best tobacco on earth is
Ram's Horn. At Faris'.

Howard Alexander spent Tues-
day in Lovelady.

Miss Lewis of Navasota is here
visiting her sister, Mrs. A. L.
Carnes.

Buy your meal, flour, bacon
and lard from Kennedy Bros.
and get the best on the market.

Mr. and Mrs. Josiah Caskey
announce the arrival of a girl
baby at their home.

Cigars and post cards more
than all the rest of the town com-
bined at the Bon Ton.

Mrs. Will Irwin of Teague is
here on a visit to her mother,
Mrs. Bettie Richards.

You can get 16 pounds of gran-
ulated sugar for one dollar at
Kennedy Bros.

Harmon Gray has returned to
Grapeland to spend the summer
with his mother.

Cleaning and pressing done
right at reasonable prices if you
bring me your clothes,
Lee Clewis.

Soda water, extracts, lemons,
condensed milk and such supplies
always on hand at Anthony & Al-
sup's.

Bring on your chickens and
eggs. We are prepared to handle
all that you will bring in. Geo.
E. Darsey.

Miss Hazle Berry of Crockett
is here on a visit to her grand
parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W.
Lively.

I have 50 lbs of tobacco I will
close out at 25c per pound. Come
quick, it won't last long. F. A.
Faris.

We have just received another
lot of ladies low cut shoes—the
latest things out. Kennedy
Bros.

Mr. A. L. McHenry, of the
Modern Woodmen of America, is
here arranging to organize a
camp.

See us for the best grade of
Pea Green Alfalfa Hay. Two
cars of new crop hay received.
Geo. E. Darsey.

S. E. Miller and son Sullivan
have gone to Mineral Wells to
join Mrs. Miller for a two week's
vacation.

Geo. E. Darsey has just received
a car of new Studebaker wag-
ons, so if you want a wagon in
any size with or without brake or
with either Gear or Body brake,
for cash or on time, don't fail to
see him and buy a genuine Stude-
baker wagon.

FOR SALE.

My gin consisting of two Mun-
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tramping double box press, a
good two story house, a grist
mill, all machinery in first class
shape and in fine cotton territory

Also have some good second
hand machinery I will sell cheap.

The gintogether with the house
will be sold cheap for cash or
trade for land. If interested ad-
dress me at Augusta, Texas.

W. H. Holcomb.

Geo. Denny of Crockett spent a
few days in Grapeland this week.

You can get 10c lawn for 8c,
and 8c lawn for 6c at
Wherry's.

Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Guice
went to Galveston Saturday
night.

If you have a house to paint
we can save you money on paint.
S. E. Howard.

The Bon Ton has painted
things up again and has the neat-
est place in East Texas.

Miss Nora Chaffin of Dallas is
here on a visit to relatives and
friends.

R. J. Weisinger left Saturday
for Silver Valley to visit his son,
Paul Weisinger.

The rural route carriers and
Postmaster Hill celebrated July
5th., instead of the 4th.

Those who attended the Old
Settlers re-union at Salmon Sat-
urday report a very pleasant
time.

Grapeland celebrated the 6th.
of July instead of the fourth in
a very safe and sane manner. A
few went fishing, while others
enjoyed a day of rest.

LOST-REWARD.

My bird dog disappeared Sat-
urday night; lemon and white
color; answers to the name of
Don; reward paid for his return.
Lewis Sory.

Now is the time to fix up your
fences. We have a car load each
of Barb wire and hog fencing.
See us, get our prices and buy
now while you can get it cheap.
Geo. E. Darsey.

A 25c can of Baking Powder
and a 75c pair scissors for 25c
at Anthony & Alsup's.

See us for any thing that you
may want in Wood and Iron Bed
steads, Dressers, Chevals, Book
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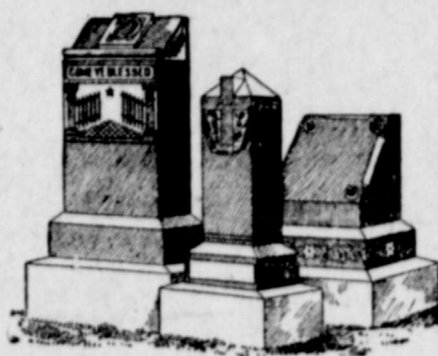
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Monuments and
Tombstones.

I have received my new
design book and marble
samples from the Humbolt
Marble Works—the best
concern of its kind in the
south. Let me figure with
you when you need any-
thing in this line.

L. Q. Browning,
Grapeland, Texas

MIXING IT UP

THAT IS OUR BUSINESS

Do you realize that the mixing of medicine
is a particular job?

There are many ways in which medicine
can be mixed, but only one RIGHT way.

Oil and water are pretty hard to mix, but
the druggist who knows his business can mix oil
and water into an emulsion as smooth as the
oil itself.

We know the drug business and would be
glad to mix your medicines for you.

A. S. PORTER

P. S. People say our Soda Water is the
BEST in town.

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ON REAL ESTATE.

LONG TIME, EASY PAYMENTS.

RELIABLE REPRESENTATIVES WANTED

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Jackson, Miss.

Ice! Ice! Ice!

All the time got ice. Anthony
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NOTICE

I will pay cash for cull potatoes.
Notify me if you have any to sell.
David Palmer,
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A Positive Cure For
BILIOUSNESS, CONSTIPATION,
DYSPEPSIA, MALARIA, CHILLS
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COMPLAINTS.

Mr. Conkey Evans, Registered Pharmacist, Jewett,
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a child that had chills and a general debili-
tated system, and who had tried nearly
everything except Herbine. It quickly cured
the child and the family now keeps Herbine
all the time. They recommend it to others
and from that have built up a good trade on
it. I believe it is the best substitute for cal-
omel I know of.

Price 50 Cents per Bottle.
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LADIES SILK Finished Gause Lilse Hose in Pink, Sky Blue, Ox Blood, Tan, White and Black . . . 25c

Yours truly,

Darsey's Dry Goods Store,

Grapeland, ; ; ; Texas

Don't Wait For It To Kick The Panels In

Young man, young woman, have you the money you need? If you have not, how are your prospects for getting it? Do you want a good home, supplied with good books, beautiful pictures, rich carpets, warmth and light, education, wholesome food, social culture, pleasant companions, broad development of your faculties, to travel and see some of the beautiful places of this old earth of ours, to learn about different people of different countries; in short, do you want to live a successful life and enjoy it? If you do, you must launch out, get up and hustle and push, prepare to do something the world wants done and do it, do it better and do it quicker than the other fellow; the world is full of opportunities for those who have the ambition and are prepared to grasp them. It is said that opportunity knocks at every man's door, but you must not wait for it to kick the panels in. You must be ready to open the door and grasp opportunities as it approaches. Make a sacrifice if necessary, that you may give yourself the practical education that will lay the foundation of a great and successful future for you. Thousands of young men and women that were only a few years ago in the same position as yourself are today cashiers of banks, owners of progressive business enterprises of their own, or holding high government positions; they are living the life you would like to live, the life you can live, if you will enter the Tyler Commercial College of Tyler, Texas, and take their thorough practical course of Bookkeeping, Business Training, Shorthand, and Typewriting, or Telegraphy;

they will give you the education that will enable you to hold a good position and advance; they will get the position for you, if necessary, if you have not read their catalog, write for it, it contains 168 pages explaining their modern systems and superior methods of teaching the practical work that the business world demands, also indorsements and statements from graduates and their employers, which speak for themselves. What thousands of others have done, you can do; a thorough business training in America's largest and greatest Commercial College is none to good for you, and it is worth making a sacrifice to obtain.

Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy the best and Surest.

"It affords me pleasure to state that I consider the preparation known as Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy the best and surest of good results of any I have ever used in my family," says P. E. Harrington of Mount Aerial, Ky. This is the universal verdict of all who use this remedy. Its cures are so prompt and effectual that people take pleasure in recommending it. For sale by D. N. Leaverton.

Jas Cook of Palestine spent Sunday and Monday with his parents near town. Jim has just returned from a visit to Florida—his old home—and reports a very pleasant time.

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Baseball News.

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The Sluggers and Business men clashed Friday afternoon for a practice game, the score being 10 to 5 for the Sluggers. The Sluggers are adding strength to their team all the time, and are getting ready to take a trip. Harmon Gray, who is here for the summer, is a valuable addition, and Eugene Yarbrough expects to be here some time this month. "Pap" has been twirling good ball this summer, winning 9 out of 11 games. The locals go to Augusta Friday for a game.

Oak Grove and Slocum crossed bats at Salamon Saturday, Oak Grove winning by a score of 5 to 1. Some of the Sluggers played with Oak Grove.

The Sluggers and Business Men crossed bats Tuesday afternoon, and when the smoke cleared away in the wind up the Sluggers had 16 scores and the Business Men 4. A large crowd was present, and for the first time a

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