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Only a Few Cases in Court this Term. Will Adjourn 6th

Crockett, Texas, Oct. 26.—Very little has been done in district court during the past week, either civil or criminal. Both dockets are lighter than for many years. The criminal docket has only two murder cases, one of them several years old. Other offenses have gradually decreased for two years past, due in part to the very efficient manner in which the District Judge, the District and County Attorneys have discharged their duty. Regardless of the social or financial standing of all persons charged with offense, these officials have in an able and efficient manner upheld the dignity of the law on all occasions.

Criminal Docket

Braker Alexander, assault to murder; reduced to aggravated assault, and defendant fined \$25.00; Jno. Jackson, assault to murder; guilty of aggravated assault and fined fifty dollars, (in this case the costs alone amounted to one hundred and forty dollars); Fate Maples, unlawful possession of intoxicating liquor, trial by jury and verdict of not guilty; Fate Maples delievering intoxicating liquor, verdict of not guilty by jury; Willie Moore, murder continued.

Civil Docket

G. R. Taylor vs Cato Woods et al, to foreclose vendors lien, judgment for Taylor; R. L. Tolliver vs E. F. Owen et al, judgment for Toliver for one thousand

Business Houses Will Close Armistice Day, Nov. 11

We the undersigned business men of Grapeland, hereby agree to close our places of business on the 11th of November (Thursday) in observance of Armistice Day:

Geo. E. Darsey & Co., McLean & Riall, S. E. Howard, Owens & Allen, J. F. Lively, Henry Dailley, M. L. Clewis, Smith & Ryan, J. W. Howard, J. T. Rains, W. H. Long & Co., Murray & Mangum, T. H. Leaverton Lumber Co., Kennedy Bros., Keeland Bros., T. W. Lewis, D. N. Leaverton, Connor Denson, Guaranty State Bank, F. & M. State Bank, The Messenger.

and dollars.

Divorce Docket

Divorces were granted in the following cases:

Pearly vs Minor Strange; Rose vs Will Berry; Eliza vs Burk Edwards; Jacob vs Beulah Price; Senta vs Garfield Cleveland; Bertha vs Frank Robertson; Addie L. vs Samuel Hayden; Bertha vs James Bracy; Henry vs Nettie Warner.

In case of Tony Reece vs International & Great Railway, suit for damages for personal injuries, the jury returned a verdict for the Railway. The court will close Saturday 6th., thus making a term of four, instead of seven weeks as heretofore.

Messrs. J. O. Monday and G. L. Murray of Lovelady, T. H. Leaverton of Grapeland and W. C. Dupuy of Kennard, were here this week attending court.

Every Democrat Urged to Vote by County Chairman

To the Democrats of Houston County, Male and Female:

Let no democrat fail to go to the polls and vote next Tuesday, November 2nd. Everyone who voted in the primaries is in HONOR bound to "support the nominees" of the democratic party. To "support" the nominees means to VOTE for them. This obligation can not be fulfilled by failing or refusing to vote. We hope there will be no "sulking." The "sulker" can not be a loyal democrat. If his man had been nominated, he would be loudest in his preaching of LOYALTY to the party and the nominees. If he lost, he should be a MAN and stand by his promises. And all who voted in the primaries should not fail to go to the polls and vote. And this applies to men and women both. The obligations are the same. Then, every democrat, man or woman, who has qualified himself or herself to vote since the primaries, should BE SURE to vote. The DEMOCRATIC party furnishes the only hope of the country for good government. Its principles are as "eternal as the hills," and these principles can not and will not be executed through any channel except the democratic party. So, here goes: EVERY DEMOCRAT TO THE POLLS!

J. W. Madden,

Chairman Democratic Executives Houston County.

Renew your subscription.

Red Cross Course in Practical Home Nursing

The Red Cross nurse will be here next Monday, November 1. Every woman and girl who can possibly arrange to take training should do so, since it is all free. We may not have this opportunity again in a lifetime.

Let everyone interested in this work meet at the Woodman hall Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock, so the classes can be arranged to suit the convenience of everyone and be ready to begin work Monday

Mrs. W. D. Granberry, Chm. Grapeland Branch.

Box Supper at Oak Grove

There will be a box supper at Oak Grove Saturday night, October 30th for the benefit of the school. Everybody is respectfully invited to attend.

Plenty of cement now in stock. Let us supply your needs.

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1920 Texas State Fair Closes With a Baneer Season

Dallas, Texas, Oct. 24.—The 1920 exhibition of the State fair of Texas came to a close Sunday night after a record breaking season. A million and twenty-five thousand persons passed through the turnstiles during the 15 days' exhibition.

"The State fair just closed was not only Statewide in scope, but international," Secretary Stratton of the fair association declared Sunday night. "The Mexican exhibit made the affair international and I believe the presence of representatives of the Southern republic has tended to improve the feeling of the people of Texas toward that country?"

Notice—Gin Days

Beginning next week we will gin only on Thursdays, Fridays and Saturdays of each week until further notice.

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Interesting Letter About the State Juvenile School

(Editor's Note—The following letter was written by Miss Mary Jo Kyle to her sister, Mrs. Ed Musick. It gives an interesting insight into the workings of the State Juvenile Training School for boys at Gatesville. We are sure our subscribers will appreciate it very much.)

Gatesville, Texas, Oct. 9.

Dear Lue:

I'm going to answer your letter before I get in a good humor with you for calling our boys prisoners. There isn't the least resemblance to a prison here. Since I got the letter I've been studying thoroughly the standing of our boys and how we look at them as well as others. This morning we went to town. When we drove into the square there stood six State boys and Mr. Fairfield. We had passed two truck loads of them going in to unload coal and brick.

Three little ones had sent by me for candy, so when I got back to the Hill was met at the car and helped into the house, and just as free-seeming little boys as you ever saw. One, our house boy, another a 14 year old Italian, and one a 12 year old Mexican. They often have a little money besides what their parents send them.

Thursday is to be a big day in Gatesville, so our band will furnish music and four companies of our boys will go over on dress parade. The boys are given the greatest possible freedom, but a boy feels a kind of depression when he first comes, but it soon wears off and if he will act right all is well.

I have the low first grade. I took it from choice, when I saw how crowded the other rooms were. I have only 23 in the morning and 18 in the afternoon, while the third have 53 in one section, and high first and low second have 38 in one section and 33 in the other. Excepting for the fact that we stress number work and letter writing more, our course is the same as any public school. When a boy finishes the low first he can write his letter home every Monday and also do any kind of addition and subtraction.

You should see me trying to teach my little Mexicans to talk. I go through every imaginable performance for them. Mr. King came in one day and I was hopping up and down the aisle trying to impress upon their minds what h-o-p meant. I can see I am getting results, too, but it takes a good sense of humor, lots of sleep and three hots a day to keep one equal to the task. I love the work, though, and get a great amount of real fun out of it.

Today my little wash boy came running into my room and said, "O, Miss Kyle, come see the horned frog catch ants!" I went and soon I was the center of a group of chattering little Mexicans, who enjoyed my surprise more than they did the peculiar way he got his dinner. They (I mean the boys) are cunning little scamps. The frogs are horrid ugly old creatures.

I have in my room what I consider a wonderful credit to the school. Robert Moore, age 17 years, 5 months, nearly six feet

and covers all the ground he stands on. Seven months ago he came here convicted of double burglary and forgery, had never gone to school a day, couldn't tell the time of day even, although he came from a family that can read and his sister can write a nice letter. They say he was down on the world and disheartened in general, but by the genuine kindness of this place they won Robert over in a short while. He has never been punished in any way. Now he can read in his primer, tell the time of day, make his numbers, add, and compose and copy a good two page letter home every Monday. I still have to write his letters and then let him copy them on account of his spelling. Here's the explanation of why a boy of such intelligence and natural goodness is here: (I forgot to say he is general trusty for one field squad, can be sent to town to haul brick and is my trusty for all occasions.) His mother died when he was six years old and he hasn't even a step-mother; a sister 7 years his senior raised him and I guess did the best she knew how. I can't tell why the father didn't do better. Mr. Luck thinks Robert is living a real Christian life now and has been for about two months. Such a pity for that dear child that this school hadn't got him 10 years ago. There are many other cases as marked I guess. I have many juveniles who were sent because of the compulsory school law. The idea "crime" never passes through my mind in connection with these boys. They are living monuments to parents' mistakes. A very great number have only one parent, or if both, they are separated, so Mr. King tells me.

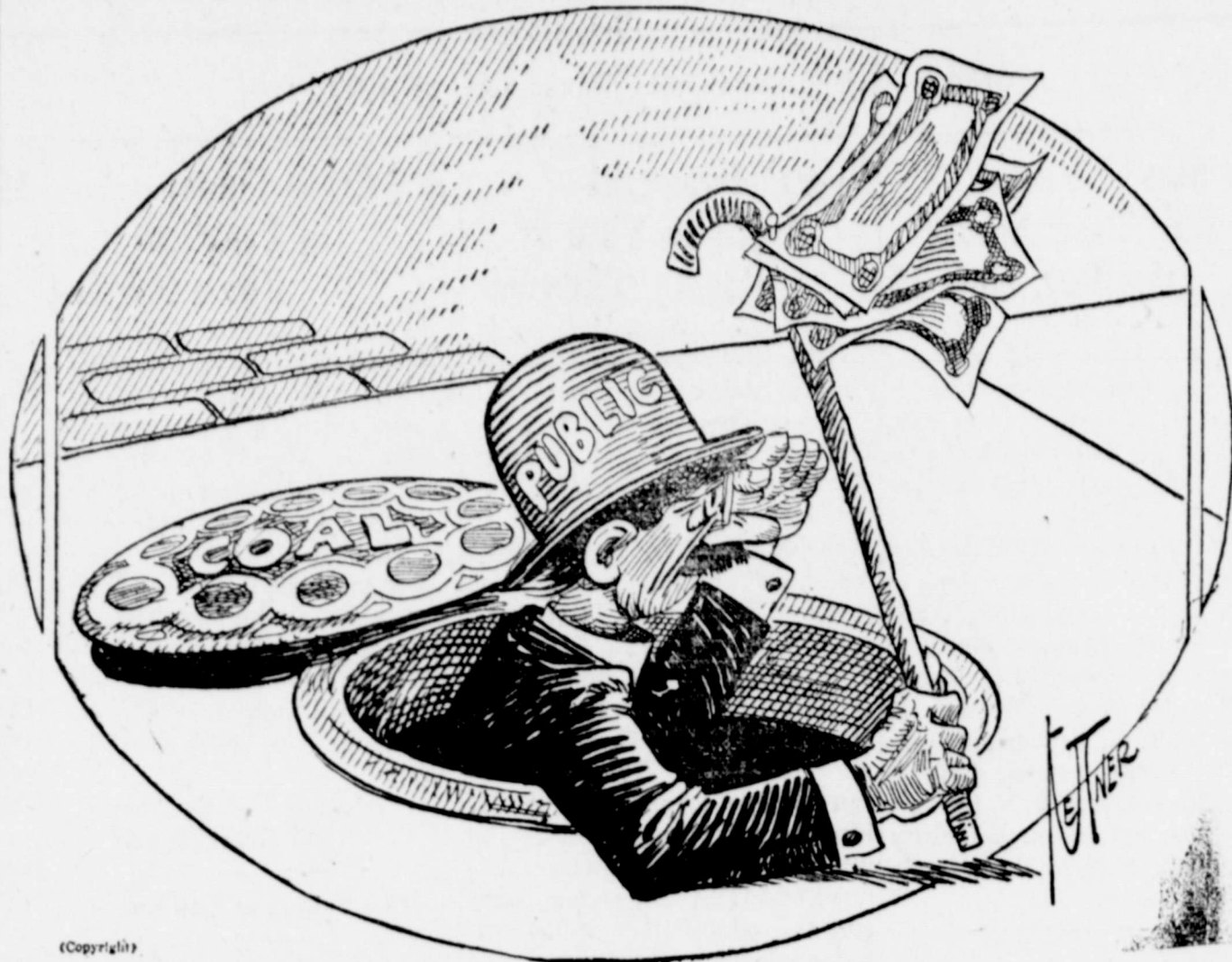
I've got to stop and study my Sunday school lesson a little more, so I can teach it to 25 babies tomorrow.

My boys passed their highest compliment on me last week. They told Mr. Twyman "she plays fair." He said I made a great success so far.

Mary Jo Kyle.

Some women are afraid they might be kissed; others that they might not.

No Relief in Sight



Renewal Time

A number of subscriptions to The Messenger were out the first of this month. Look at your name on The Messenger you get—the date there shows when your time is out. We hope you will continue as one of our subscribers and

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What Ails Agriculture?

The census shows that all is not well with American agriculture. In Ohio, one of the great agricultural states, the number of farms has been reduced by 15,346 in ten years. Every day,

on the average, in that state, four farms are given up or become part of larger holdings. This tendency is not new; it began thirty or forty years ago, and has not been checked by recent high prices for foodstuffs. The same tendency appears in other states.

Houston County Stationed in Canal Zone, Writes

Corozal, Canal Zone, Oct. 11.
The Grapeland Messenger,
Grapeland, Texas.

Dear Editor:

As a continuous reader of your paper and a native of your city, I write you this letter. Although being a soldier stationed in the Panama Canal Zone, I get hold of the Messenger frequently. And it is certainly enjoyed, not only by me, but by the boys that are from that vicinity and near Grapeland.

I am stationed at Corozal, an Army Post, along side of the canal about two miles from Panama City. Panama City is situated on the coast of the Pacific Ocean. It is a city of about 1,000 inhabitants, representatives from every part of the globe, including the American soldier. You can imagine what kind of a mixture the American soldier can make, especially where the prohibition act has not interfered. The most of the streets are short and narrow. The houses along the streets are of an old construction, very old, too. They are mostly two story houses, living rooms upstairs and what business they choose to have down stairs. It is generally a Chinese saloon, or a fruit stand. The people were very much uncivilized before the Americans took over the canal. They had no street lights, no hospitals, practically no doctors, in fact, they were a bunch of heathens. Their religion was idols. They worship idols of every description. I am sure it would have been very inconvenient to live for anyone that had been in civilization.

The jungles are more interesting than the city. The jungle-ists are still like the way the people in the city used to be. They live in grass houses supported by jungle cane. They have no floors in the huts; just a wall to partly protect them from the rain. They eat fruits, tropical animals and what little corn they might raise. Their wearing apparel is very limited; in fact, they don't wear 'em. I suppose they don't know any better.

The climate is very regular. Through the months of January, February, March and part of April it doesn't rain at all. The remainder of the year it rains almost constantly. The nights are cool, making it very pleasant to sleep.

I will say in conclusion that if I stay in the Zone I will not regret it, for there is a chance to learn.

Prvt. Olen T. Lively,
Co. D, 54th Tel. Bn.,
Corozal, Canal Zone.

Mr. Hoover Sees Prices Falling

The peak of the high cost of living is past, says Mr. Hoover, and from now on there will be a downward movement. The danger is, he says, that this fall may be too sudden, which would bring ruin to our industries. He pleads for an intelligent plan which will let prices down by easy stages and save them from going down with a crash. A period of falling prices is always dangerous to prosperity.

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To Check Tuberculosis

Nearly all persons are infected with the tuberculosis germ before they reach middle age, according to a paper read by Dr. T. C. Hempelmann before the Child Hygiene Association in convention at St. Louis.

The infection, he says, usually takes place in childhood, and comes from some person who is already infected, or perhaps from infected milk.

"Don't kiss the baby on the mouth," says Dr. Hempelmann, "and don't let anybody else do it." A person otherwise healthy may fight off the disease and show no signs of it even if tuberculosis germs are in the mouth, throat and lungs; but still if the germs are there they may be conveyed to another person, and in that person may prove fatal years afterward.

Not only should kissing on the mouth be avoided, according to the doctor, but great care should be taken not to use cups, spoons and forks until they have been thoroughly cleansed and scalded after having been used by others. If everybody would take such precautions the disease could be stamped out in two or three generations.

Does your stomach feel bloated after eating? Do you have sour risings, heartburn, spells of dizziness, and constipated bowels? If so, Prickly Ash Bitters is the medicine for you. Men who use it find it exactly suited for such disorders. Price \$1.50 per bottle. Smith & Ryan special agents.

Reversing Our Railroad Policy

The Transportation Act, passed by congress last winter, required that railroads be consolidated into a number of systems. The Interstate Commerce Commission has begun working on the plans for such consolidation. Where formerly the railroads were forbidden to consolidate, now the law compels them to do it; but this must be done under government regulation.

American Legion Favors Educational Amendment

The American Legion has endorsed the educational amendment to be voted upon next Tuesday in a resolution adopted by the State Executive Committee in session at Austin, Texas, October 16, and this resolution has been endorsed by the Local Post. The resolution follows:

Whereas, after religion, education is the most important thing in life, and

WHEREAS, in the state of Texas generally the cause of education is seriously jeopardized on account of the notoriously inadequate pay the teachers of his state are receiving, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED that the department of Texas, American Legion, hereby endorses the proposed Constitutional Amendment which will give to the schools of Texas, particularly in the rural districts, an opportunity to improve educational facilities; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that we call on the people of Texas to support this distinct American and Americanizing Constitutional Amendment.

The Executive Committee adds that:

Ignorance breeds disrespect to the laws and to constituted society; education is the foremost bulwark of society.

Support of better schools and better educational facilities is distinctly a phase of our Americanization work. "Bolshevists" and "Reds" never meet in a school house,—but they oppose their erection.

Education of the masses is America's guarantee for a continuance of American principles. It is urgently requested that this be given the widest publicity and that it brought up at the next meeting of the post.

Texas ranks: First in size, fifth in population and thirty-ninth in education. Support the Constitutional Amendment for better schools.

Job Printing

The Messenger's prices for job work are based upon the Franklin Printing Price List, which are scientifically arrived at—no guess work, fair to the buyer and seller.

Ex-Service Men Not Applying for Victory Medals

Out of the thirty-five counties which comprise the Houston Recruiting District and in which live 35,000 previous service men only 5,700 have applied for the Victory Medals issued by the War Department and to which every previous service man is entitled. There has been a special force at the Army Recruiting Station at Houston for four months to help these men in making their applications for medals and they have only handled about sixty a day.

Ex-service men do not seem to realize that the government is going out of their way to issue these medals and that they made everything as easy as possible for the men to get them and only for the right man. Great care is necessary to see that each man gets the clasps that he is entitled to and that someone else does not get a medal when he does not deserve it. Still the necessary steps to obtain a medal are very simple.

Any ex-service man has only to send his discharge to the Army Recruiting Station, Houston, Texas, or bring it in person and the necessary forms will be filled out for him and forwarded to the Supply Depot at Philadelphia from where the medal is sent direct to him.

If you have served in the Army since April, 1917, send in your discharge.

Keep your stomach, liver and bowels in good condition if you would have health. Prickly Ash Bitters cleanses and strengthens these organs and helps the system to resist disease germs. It is the only remedy for working men. Price \$1.50 per bottle. Smith & Ryan, special agents.

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For County Attorney:

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For Sheriff:

O. B. (DEB) HALE

For County Superintendent:

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For County Judge:

NAT PATTON

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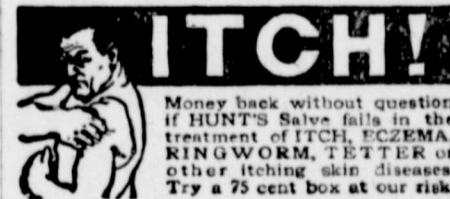
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PERCILLA NEWS

Percilla, Oct. 25.—Little Mary Alice Bobbit, who has had neuralgia is able to be in school again.

Miss Narvelle Buller and mother are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Ed Buller.

Our basket ball team, Misses Katie V. Rawls, Cora Cummings, Zuna Daniels, Fannie Branch, Bessie Cummings and Elizabeth Sullivan played ball at Grapeland Saturday afternoon, with Porter Spring team. Mr. John Punch refereed the game and we were all well pleased. We think they have one of the nicest teams in the county. It was all so nice and they were so courteous. Quite a number from here went to see the game. We won 37 to 35.

Olen Denson came home Saturday, after spending several weeks in Coleman county, Houston, and other places. We are very glad to see him home again.

Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Sewell and family spent Sunday night with Mr. and Mrs. Gee of Grapeland.

Mrs. Albert Gainey spent a few days with her parents in Oakwood last week.

UNION DOTS

Union, Oct. 25.—Mrs. Emily Thornton and children left Saturday for their home in Oklahoma.

Tom Cook and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Sam Caskey.

Miss Gladys Beeson spent Sunday evening with Miss Vallie Dubose.

Alfred Brown spent Sunday with Hamilton Beeson.

Mrs. Walter Brumley and children visited Mr. and Mrs. Z. T. Brumley Saturday night and Sunday.

Mrs. Jonnie DuBose came home Saturday from her school at San Pedro.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Chaffin spent several days in Dallas last week at the fair.

Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Smith spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Smith.

Misses Lottie and Loye Caskey spent Sunday with Miss Flora and Audry Chaffin.

Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Mosley visited Mr. John Moseley and family last Sunday.

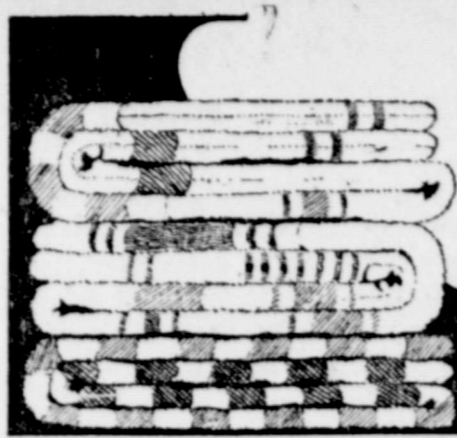
Mrs. Lum Stockbridge is improving now. Think she will soon be able to come home.

Mrs. Monre Weisinger is some better. We hope that she will soon recover.

Married Near Grapeland

Mr. Gratan L. Streetman and Miss Maude Otis Guice were married near Grapeland October 11 by Rev. Cyrus Campbell. Together with a few intimate relatives and friends, they drove out a few miles north of Grapeland and on meeting Rev. Campbell, were united in marriage. Mr. Streetman is of the Rock Hill community and is one of the county's well known educators. His bride is the young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dock Guice of Grapeland and enjoys a large circle of devoted friends. Mr. and Mrs. Streetman, who have the best wishes of all who know them, will make their home near Grapeland.—Crockett Courier.

Remember all business houses in Grapeland will be closed Nov. 11—Armistice Day.



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- B326 Gray Cotton Blankets, assorted borders, size 64x76 inches \$2.90
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- B452 NASHUA WOOLNAP Blankets pink plaid, size 60x76 inches \$4.25
- B343 Gray and pink plaid Cotton Blankets, size 72x84 inches \$4.50

- B232 Heavy tan Cotton Blankets, blue border, size 68x80 inches \$4.65
- B456 Blue and white plaid Cotton Blankets, size 64x80 inches \$4.75
- B360 NASHUA WOOLNAP Blankets, heavy gray, size 66x80 inches \$5.00
- B457 NASHUA WOOLNAP Blankets, gray plaid, size 60x80 inches \$5.00
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- 36 inch fast color Percales a yard 30c
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- Dress gingham and apron checks a yard . 20c
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- 36 inch Sea Island Brown Domestic a yd. 16c
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LOCAL ITEMS

16 button length long kid gloves at Darsey's

Clewis' new fall samples are arriving.

Black Satin pumps and oxfords at Darsey's.

See the new fall samples at Clewis'.

Leonidus Brooks spent Sunday in Palestine.

The biggest line of ladies coats at the lowest prices at Darsey's Cut Price Sale.

Dailey Murchinson spent a few days her this week visiting his father, G. R. Murchinson.

You will find what you need in Ford parts at Hodges' Garage.

Lowest prices on the best line of girls coats in East Texas at Darsey's Cut Price Sale.

K. C. Alsop, who is working at Goose Creek, is spending the week here with his family.

Just received a big shipment of cement. T. H. Leaverton Lumber Co.

Lee Finch and family and Arthur Brooks and family of Alto are visiting relatives in this community.

Visit Darsey's Premium counter. Everybody gets something with cash register checks at Darsey's.

Place for Rent

50 acres on either third and fourth or halves; good pasture; 1-2 miles northeast of town. f Laney Johnston. 4t

Mrs. J. S. Eaves is teaching in the Grapeland school in place of Miss Esther Sterling, who has resigned and returned to her home in Rusk.

For Sale

A good goober treshing outfit in good running condition; already threshed some this season. See George McCorkle or John Luce, Route 2. 4t

Ford Newman has on display at the Guaranty State Bank fifteen stalks of ribbon cane which grew in a cluster. They are all well matured stalks about six feet in length.

Call at Howard's for groceries.

S. E. Traylor was in Houston the first of the week.

Test Overalls. The best in town. \$1.95 a pair at Darsey's.

Select your suit now from Clewis' new fall samples.

Ross Brock has returned home from Beaumont.

Call at Howard's when in town.

Good quality men's dress hats at \$4.00 and up at Darsey's.

Jess Murdock of Elkhart was down a few days this week on business.

M. E. Darsey was in Crockett Wednesday serving as jury commissioner.

Mr. and Mrs. E. P. McCall and baby are visiting relatives in Jacksonville this week.

B. Halbert, principal of the school, spent last week end in Jacksonville with home folks.

J. P. Royall has returned home from Dallas, where he visited his daughter.

Do you need any cement? We have just received a large shipment. T. H. Leaverton Lumber Co.

Mrs. J. R. Howard, who has been here visiting her son, J. W. Howard, left Tuesday for California to visit her mother and two sisters.

We have a 50-acre farm one mile out, good well finished dwelling, good water, pasture, etc. Easy terms. Howard Land Co.

Miss Pat Harrison spent last week end at Dallas at the fair, being joined at Jacksonville by her sister, Mrs. E. E. Allen, and a party of friends from Alto.

LOST

Green bill book containing \$105.00. Name in book. Please return and receive reward. Jack Spence.

Notice—Gin Days

Beginning next week we will gin only on Thursdays, Fridays and Saturdays of each week until further notice. J. F. Bridges, A. B. Spence, Herod & Leaverton.

Cotton Price is Up to Farmers—State Official

Austin, Texas, Oct. 24.—Whether cotton prices will go to the cost of production level depends entirely upon the ability of farmers to hold the staple, B. F. Chapman, chief clerk of the State department of agriculture, declared in a formal statement Sunday. This ability, Mr. Chapman said, would be governed largely by the attitude of creditor influences. Mr. Chapman has just returned from Washington where he attended the agricultural conference.

Mr. Chapman declared that the farmers of the country had lost two and one-half billion dollars within the past few weeks because of lack of expansion of credits to meet crop demands.

Land for Sale

Land that I am going to sell, located 2 miles southwest of Slocum, Anderson county; first tract is 50 acres improved; this is as good land as there is in Anderson county; both red and gray land with running water, and plenty of post timber; also other land adjoining this tract. I will appreciate an offer. See Lon or Walter Killion, or write me. John Killion, Lamesa, Texas.

Nion Thompson of Percilla was transacting business in Grapeland Wednesday.

The November DESIGNER is now at Darsey's. If you are not a subscriber, buy one of these delightful magazines at our pattern counter. They're all that a GOOD woman's magazine could be.

Syrup for Sale

Beginning Monday, Oct. 25, will be prepared to furnish pure ribbon cane syrup with or without container. 3t R. F. Hodges.

Hear the Boy Scouts Sing

The Boy Scouts will have charge of the singing at the Methodist church next Sunday morning at the 11 o'clock service. Come and hear them. Marvin Gilbert, Scout Master.

For Sale

5-room house and 1 acre of land in north Grapeland. Price \$2500, half, cash, balance easy terms at 8 per cent. 2t J. H. Powell.

A. V. Davis, who has been working in the barber shop for Alton Frisby, has gone to Oakwood to work since Mr. Denson purchased the shop last week.

Renter Wanted

To work on halves or 3rd and 4th, 60 to 75 acres of land; good house and water. C. A. Campbell, Salmon, Texas.

For Rent

140 acres of land; 100 acres must be planted in cotton; 3rd and 4th. FOR SALE: Pair of young mules, all cows and calves; 250 bushels of corn. See me at once. 35-3t Oscar Beazley, R. 4.

Lost

Between Grapeland and the Holstein Farm, 1 rim, casing and tube for Overland car; had Gates half sole stitched on it. Finder please leave at Star Theatre for liberal reward. Lost Sunday night.

NYAL FAMILY PREPARATIONS AND TOILET ARTICLES

We recommend Nyal Preparations when used as directed on the packages for the ordinary ailments arising in every household.

Only the best drugs obtainable enter into the composition of Nyal Preparations and are compounded by most modern methods under supervision of skilled pharmacists and afterwards standardized by competent chemists

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The Nyal Line is sold under a guarantee of satisfaction or money refunded.

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Telegraph School

The Palestine Business College has added a Telegraph department to its already full course of study.

Mr. J. P. O'Keefe, a veteran operator of twenty-five years experience, will be in charge.

The opening of this new department fills a long left want and offers a rare opportunity to acquire a profession that is never crowded.

Come, boys, and enter with us. In a few weeks you will be sending and receiving messages, and in less than four months can take charge of an office that pays \$150 per month to begin with.

Write if interested.

PALESTINE BUSINESS COLLEGE
PALESTINE, TEXAS.

Mr. Phillips Dead

Mr. Vernon Phillips died last Wednesday, October 20, 1920, at his home just east of town in the Enon community. Death was due to diabetes.

Interrment took place Thursday afternoon in the Livelyville cemetery, Rev. J. F. Lively of this city conducting the services.

Mr. Phillips is survived by his wife and two children, and their many friends extend sympathy in their hour of sorrow.

Take advantage of depression in business and own a farm. It will make you independent as nothing else will. I have some bargains in homes in town and farms near town and in the country. Let me show you. Howard Land Co.

Auto Turned Over

Mr. and Mrs. Hadie Gilbert were in an automobile wreck Tuesday morning, when the car in which they were driving suddenly became unmanageable, leaving the road and running into a fence, turning on its side. Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert escaped injury, but the car was pretty badly torn up.

At the Methodist Church

The Boy Scouts will have charge of the music at the morning service.

Rev. E. H. McKenzie of Palestine will preach at both services. Services at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m.

The public is urged to come and hear the boys sing and this good preacher preach.

J. E. Buttrill, Pastor.

Had Slight Operation

We are in receipt of a card from Rev. J. L. Willis, who is attending school at S. M. U., Dallas, in which he states that he has just undergone a slight operation on his eyes. His many friends here hope his trouble is not serious and that he will soon be well.

He states further "that I enjoy reading the Messenger. It's more than a letter from home—it is letters from home, with many bargains offered through the ads; compare them with others.

In addition to cut prices at Darsey's, you can get valuable merchandise with your cash register checks free.

REMEMBER

That we can send 50 pounds by PARCEL POST and we prepay everything we send. This will enable you to get most anything you need out of a Drug Store. We appreciate ALL orders, small or LARGE and fill them promptly. Do not do without something you need—send us your order and ask for your package in the NEXT MAIL.

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 Office 51
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THURSDAY, OCT. 30, 1920

SWEET POTATOES

The Messenger has urged from time to time that sweet potatoes are a good money crop to work in a scheme of diversified farming. Now comes the East Texas Chamber of Commerce with a bulletin covering crop conditions in East Texas and says regarding sweet potatoes:

"The sweet potato crop averages 75 bushels per acre where fertilizer was not used, and 100 bushels where fertilizer was used. Crop is good, average not as large as last year; practically every county has a good crop."

Sweet potatoes usually bring from 75c to \$1 per bushel when dug and after being cured in a potato curing plant bring more. We know it would prove a profitable crop for this section, and we urge the business men and leading farmers to get together and start this movement. If a potato curing plant is erected the farmers will plant the potatoes.

There is always a job for the man who is willing to work.

Cuba was a very insignificant little country until it was discovered July 1, 1919.

It's our guess that Debs would appreciate a front porch from which to conduct his campaign.

Of course there are a few men whose conscience guide them, while fear and wives keep others in the straight and narrow.

You might begin now to plan war on the boll weevil. One pair destroyed this fall or winter will mean thousands less next year.

Now if mother will use the ballot as effectively as she wielded the slipper, much good will be accomplished for humanity.

When one man accumulates two women, or one woman accumulates two men, friendships, characters and reputations get punctured.

We are in sympathy with the farmers who want a fair price for cotton, but at the same time we are opposed to any price manipulation that will make impossible a shirt-tail long enough to reach the trouser's waistband.

An admiring friend presented Governor Cox with a white rooster the other day. Here's hoping that rooster can crow for democratic victory on the morning of November 3rd.

Remember the world is full of all kinds of troubles and it is up to us to rise above them. That is what brings out the good that is in us. We would not amount to much if everything was smooth and just as we would have it.

Auto thieves are not handled in the same manner that horse thieves were in the early days of the frontier. A friendly tree and a rope were great aids in stamping out the nuisances. There were no delays by law, no red tape to be unwound and no waiting. Occasionally the horses came back, but the thieves never did.

The following editorial paragraph appeared in the Brazos Pilot twenty-five years ago: "When a farmer can sell a bale of cotton and carry his check to the bank where gets \$40 to \$50 for it, he feels like life is worth living." Cotton is threatening to be that price right now, but instead of making a fellow happy it takes the joy out of life.

What this country needs is a better diversification plan for the farms. We have grown poorer each year trying to raise cotton. We need more blooded hogs and stock on the farms. The farmer who lives at home and raises a variety of crops is not much worried over the sharp decline in cotton. Plans should be formulated now for next year's crops along lines of diversification that will insure success. The cotton acreage should be cut at least 33 1-3 per cent.

The Executive Committee of the Texas Press Association met in Dallas recently and selected McAllen as the next meeting place, the time being June 9, 10 and 11. There was a spirited contest between McAllen and Galveston, but the little city in the magic valley of the Rio Grande won out—and we are glad. It will be an educational trip worth taking. In the entertaining line, McAllen promises the editors the greatest things they have ever experienced. A side trip to Matamoros, a few miles away, is one of the things on the program. The officers of the association have been assured by the railroads that cash advertising contracts will be made with the members to cover transportation for two from each paper from Dallas to McAllen and return. A special train of pullman cars will be placed at the disposal of the newspaper men—all paid for by the generous people of the valley, and their hotel bill thrown in for good measure. Don't you wish you was a newspaper man, and a country editor at that?

Fall sown grain crops in the south provide a winter cover for the land, thus preventing washing and leaching. They also provide winter pasture and grain and forage for stock and may be grown to advantage in rotation with corn and cotton. The oat crop is one of the best for fall sowing where it withstands the winter.

Fooling Around With Cotton

Well sir, we are a long-haired Chinaman if we didn't meet a good lady the other day who had loaned her husband a lot of her poultry and egg money to help him pay the loss he had this year sustained by, as she said, "foolin' along tryin' to make a livin' raising nothin' but cotton." This good lady said that her husband had been too busy every year trying to keep ahead of the hounds in the cotton game to fix her a place for her poultry; that while she had sold over \$200 worth of chickens, eggs and butter, she could have done a whole lot better but her chickens had to roost in trees, on fences and on the wagon down at the crib, and had nowhere to lay except under the house and around in the bushes and weeds. The good lady was not discouraged, but she said that if her husband would fix her a place to raise chickens, she could pay off all the cotton debts, buy a piano and clothe and educate the children—Troupe Banner.

Cash for Produce

We are cash buyers of produce and it will always pay you to see us when you have anything to sell, especially chickens and eggs.

J. W. Howard.

Old Mother Hubbard,
 She went to the cupboard
 To get her fair daughter a dress;
 When she got there
 The cupboard was bare—
 And so was her daughter—I
 guess.—Ex.

Ease the pain of a rheumatic attack by a rubbing application of Ballard's Snow Liniment. It relieves tenderness and strengthens the joints. Three sizes, 30c, 60c and \$1.20 per bottle. Sold by D. N. Leaverton.

The fly in the ointment, as we see it, lies in the fact that Henry Ford went into the business of making flivvers instead of manufacturing print paper.—Punkte (Calif.) Journal.

Benjamin Franklin "wrestled the lightning from the skies and the scepter from tyrants." If Bennie was in the wrestling business today he might wrest a fine tailormade suit from Clewis.

In all malaria countries the popular remedy is Herbine. People find it a good medicine for purifying the system and warding off the disease. Price, 60c. Sold by D. N. Leaverton.

Notice School Tax Payers

I will be in Grapeland every Friday for the purpose of collecting the tax for the Grapeland Independent School District. Please pay your tax at the earliest possible date, as the school needs the money.

Paul Kennedy,
 Collector.

Sweet potatoes make a superior table and cooking syrup, say chemists of the United States Department of Agriculture. Thus far no large commercial use has been made of the discovery. The department is prepared to tell how to make sweet potato syrup at home and how to use it in cookery and candy making.

Saving is Essential

The man who builds his fortune by consistent and persistent saving is the type the world refers to as "self-made." And well does the title fit.

He made the money that made the deposits in the account that made him independent. Honestly earned and purposely saved, his riches are his due; and no man begrudges him the achievement.

There are other methods of attaining wealth—some shorter, some easier. But saving is unique. It lets you feel that in gaining something for yourself you have not taken away from someone else.

With one dollar you can open an account. With one dollar, then, you can take the first step to independence.

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Absolute safety, and every courtesy are features which make this an attractive depository for your savings.

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Miss Mattye Leigh Moseley, teacher in the high school, spent last week end with her parents in Marshall.

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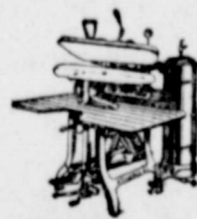
Let Us "Renew" Your Old Clothes

Your suit, seemingly "done for," may be easily restored to service by having it cleaned, pressed or repaired.

We care for your clothes in such a way as to prolong their life.

We bring out the colors, raise the nap, set the fabric, and give the garment an appearance of newness.

We can have your old suit, ladies' skirts, waists, etc., dyed at small expense and make them new, and you can get several months more service out of them.



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When the doctor hands you a prescription you have every confidence that it will be accurately filled and that the price will be moderate. When you need only a simple remedy for some slight ailment you know you can find it here and that it is highly recommended by others who have used it.

Confidence creates habit and a good habit is an aid to health. Keep coming and keep well.

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"Black-Draught is, in my opinion, the best liver medicine on the market," states Mrs. R. H. Whiteside, of Keota, Okla. She continues: "I had a pain in my chest after eating—tight, uncomfortable feeling—and this was very disagreeable and brought on headache. I was constipated and knew it was indigestion and inactive liver. I began the use of Black-Draught, night and morning, and it sure is splendid and certainly gives relief."

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To remove bilious impurities in the system and be made internally clean and healthy, you need the fine tonic and laxative properties of Herbine. It acts quickly and thoroughly. Price 60c. Sold by D. N. Leaverton.

TRINITY RIVER RIPPLES

Reynard, Oct. 25.—We presume that all are glad to feel the norther as a change.

There is yet some cotton to pick and some corn to gather. Folks are all blue and low-spirited, mostly on account of the low price of cotton.

Our Sunday school was meagerly attended yesterday, but we considered the spirit good and most all are determined to hold together.

Our day school is getting along fine. Our teacher goes to her home nearly every Friday, hence have seen very little of her.

S. J. Stanford came in yesterday with Mr. and Mrs. West and will spend awhile, so look out, Mr. Squirrel and other game.

W. P. Chiles is doing jury service at Crockett this week.

W. F. West, our grandjurymen, is taking a lay-off until the third of this month.

T. S. Kent and Oscar Beazley are trying to leave us. Oscar says he is going to sell most everything but his dirt and look out for his ad. We hate very much to give them up, but of course they are looking out for number one.

Our colored folks are sure going to thin out the possums.

After the crops are gathered the sawmill will begin sawing and the cane mills will begin to grind and presume all will have a job.

Besides making a right good crop of cotton and corn we have made tons of crabgrass hay from which we are getting a great benefit and hope the freeze will stay off several weeks yet.

Fall gardens are a failure and only a few Georgia collards here and there.

Not much excitement over the election, but think we will poll our full strength.

Dental Notice

I am now located at the Grape-land Hotel ready to do your dental work. Teeth extracted without pain.

C. L. Moore, D. D. S.

To play safe, be your own best friend.

**Falling Crop Pro-
duction Per Cap-
ita, Reports Show**

Crop production in this country in 1919, as estimated by the Bureau of Crop Estimates of the United States Department of Agriculture, was 11 per cent above the average of the prewar years 1910-1914, and this was not previously equaled except in 1915, when the production was 16 per cent above the average. Late in the growing season of 1920 the production of crops was apparently 13 per cent above the average.

A tale of another sort is told when crop production is compared with population. During the last 30 years the largest per capita production was in 1898, when it was 12 per cent above the average of 1910-1914. In most of the years from 1896 to 1915 per capita production was above the average. The highest point, however, reached since 1915 has been the average of the five years mentioned, and this was done in 1917 and apparently in 1920. Notwithstanding the great mass of the crops of 1920, they are, after all, no greater than the average when compared with the great mass of an increasing population.

ROCK HILL NEWS

Rock Hill, October 25.—School began sometime back and is getting along fine. The new building is almost completed and think we will be able to move in it in a week or two. O. L. Lowery is the principal and Erma English the assistant.

Lester Nichols and family, Mr. Green and W. E. Page and family have gone West to pick cotton.

The church here has called Bro. Cyrus Campbell for another year. Let us all work together and build up our church and Sunday school.

Two weeks ago Graton street Streetman and Miss Maud Otis Guice of Oak Grove were married and are making their home at present at the home of the brides' parents.

Dock Huff and Miss Leola Grayson were married Sunday at the home of the bride. We wish them a long and happy married life.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Crawford visited relatives near Elkhart Saturday.

Melvin Denson, who has been in Waco for the past two months, returned home Saturday.

A clear colorless liquid that will heal wounds, cuts, sores and galls is the latest and best production of medical science. Ask for Liquid Boronzone, it is a marvel in flesh-healing remedies. Price, 30c, 60c and \$1.20 Sold by D. N. Leaverton.

Box Supper

There will be a box supper at Silver Creek church Saturday night, October 30, 1920. Benefit Methodist church.

E. H. McKenzie, Pastor.

To get rid of worms in children give them White's Cream Vermifuge. The little sufferer improves at once and soon becomes healthy, active and robust. Price 35c. Sold by D. N. Leaverton.

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WANETA NEWS

Waneta, Oct 25.—We had a nice rain Saturday night and a norther reached here late Sunday afternoon. You can see a smile on some of the people's faces, for they know they are going to have some fresh pork.

J. S. Sheffield visited Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Harrington Sunday.

Miss Dollie Jones spent Saturday night and Sunday with her sister, Mrs. Albert Rich, at New Hickory Grove.

Mrs. Elmer Goff is very sick at this writing. We hope for her a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. N. B. Hendricks entertained the young people Sunday night with a singing which was enjoyed by all.

There was a box supper at the school house Friday night, which was very successful.

We had Mr. Charlie Haltom from Grapeland with us who made a very interesting talk on the school amendment, which is to be voted on Tuesday, Nov. 2.

There was two weddings here last week. Mr. Albert Wilson and Miss Mary Lou Scarborough and Mr. Harmon Killgo and Miss Annie Spurger. We wish these young people a long and happy life filled with success.

There were several from here that attended the fair at Dallas.

Bert and Will Lively returned from Frost last week, where they have been picking cotton.

Euell Sheffield and wife are visiting in Hico.

NEW PROSPECT NEWS

New Prospect, Oct. 25.—Our school is progressing nicely now

under the management of Mr. Montgomery, assisted by Misses Jones and Wills. Work will soon begin on the addition to be made to the school house. We are very much in need of more room, as the primary room is being taught in the church.

Earl Musick had the misfortune to break his arm while playing at school, but is doing nicely and will soon be able to use his arm again.

John Kyle went to Corrigan last week and was accompanied home by his father-in-law, Mr. Defee.

Mrs. Keen of Oak Grove who has been visiting her daughter Mrs. Tom Marshall, returned to her home last week.

Miss Letha Collins visited at Grapeland last Friday and Saturday.

Ed and Jim Musick went to Percilla Saturday to visit their uncle, A. B. Musick.

Gathering the crops has been completed and nearly everybody have bread and potatoes and hogs to make meat and we are not expecting to starve if we never see 40c cotton again.

Health is very good in this community at present.

New Census Being Gathered

The new census of this city is being taken this week, as it is generally believed by everyone that the population as announced recently by the census department was far from being correct. The town has been divided into wards and the census is being gathered rapidly by those in charge of the work.—Houston County Times.

LIVELYVILLE NEWS

Livelyville, Oct. 25.—Alna Tillman and Miss Ethel Stedman were quietly married at the parsonage of the Baptist minister at Slocum, Rev. White. Only a few relatives and intimate friends were present. Mr. Tillman is the son Mrs. Hudly Stedman and the late John Tillman and was born and reared in this locality. His bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jen Stedman of Denson Springs. They will make their home in this community. We join their host of friends in wishing them a long and happy life.

Cleveland Howard and Raymond Garner entertained their many friends with an ice cream supper Saturday night. All had a good time and hope they will soon give another.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Garner and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Howard.

Tom Cook formerly of this locality, left for Oklahoma. We hope he will meet with success in his new home.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Wright spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Dillard Haltom.

Rat Jones took a business trip to Leon county last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Denman and Mrs. E. Howard spent the week end with relatives at Denson Springs.

Livelyville community extends sympathy to the bereaved family of Mr. Charlie Spruill. Mrs. Spruill was loved by all who knew her. She lived among us for several years.

Paul McDonald, Raymond Garner, Cleveland Howard, Gracie Tillman and Ruth MacDonald attended the singing at Salmon last Sunday afternoon.

We have a good attendance in school. Mr. Dominy is a fine teacher and is loved by all his pupils.

Mr. and Mrs. Swanson Yarborough and baby of Houston came in Wednesday to spend a few days with Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Yarborough.

Brief and Pointed

A doctor does not want you to return his visits.

Her gown is fashionable if the bill is big enough.

The world has two black eyes, h. c. l. and bolshevism.

Most any old engagement ring would suit if the man proffering it did.

Good cooking is an art—interior decoration.

We all watch each other but do not find out much.

Many people have too much to do, and many not enough.

Fish is a brain food. Wanted—a whale!

Bum-proof cellars are the order of the day.

The aviator who drinks is liable to take a drop too much.

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LIBERTY HILL NEWS

Liberty Hill, Oct. 25.—Messrs. Elton Kellum, Albert Moore, Leamon Langham, Jonnie Moore, and Walter Peacock have returned from west Texas where they have been picking cotton. The wet weather and lower price of picking caused them to come in earlier than they had expected to.

The few people who attended the Lyceum number at Augusta Saturday night report an excellent time and a very interesting program.

Mr. and Mrs. Mote Scarborough visited relatives in Alto last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Arch Ramey of Alto have been visiting the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Ramey, this week.

Rev. Fuller of Lovelady will preach here Friday night.

Messrs. Hendricks and Buller will sing at the Liberty Hill church next Sunday. Everybody invited.

A. S. Moore will deliver an address on the proposed Better Schools Amendment at the box supper next Saturday night, and a short program will be given by the school children.

SALMON NEWS

Salmon, Oct. 25.—A large crowd was present at the singing last Sunday evening. A good many visitors from other communities were with us, among them being Cleveland Howard and Miss Virgie Tillman, Paul MacDonald and his sister, Ruth, of the Livelyville community, and Mr. and Mrs. Pat Taylor and Barton Taylor of Center Grove.

Dr. and Mrs. G. H. Black and little son, George, of Grapeland visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Lasiter Sunday afternoon; also Mr. and Mrs. Hub Starkey.

Miss Prudie Cambell spent Saturday night and Sunday with home folks.

Alton Davis happened to a pretty bad accident Sunday night at church, when a car backed and ran over him. We learn that he is not seriously hurt, but pretty badly bruised. People should be very careful as to how they drive when in a crowd.

Mrs. Monroe Weisinger is slowly improving. We hope she will soon be able to come home.

Loss From Not Advertising

The greatest single loss to the country is that of unadvertised business.

The cost of doing business shows that from as high as one half, in the case of clothing stores, to as low as one-seventieth in the case of wholesale grocers, as much is spent on advertising as on sales clerks and representatives.

Over a billion dollars' worth of advertising was done in this country last year.

It is safe to say that ten billion dollars worth of the times of sales people, or town criers, or peddlers or agents or salesman, would not have accomplished the same results in the matter of conducting the total commerce of the country.

For example, think about the amount of time and persuasive effort and expenses of agents

that would be necessary to sell ten million safety razors, at \$5 apiece, without the aid of advertising.

If for ten years the people of the United States patronized none but advertised stores and advertised goods while some inconveniences would be felt in the readjustment, business would be have resolved itself into the hands of those most competent to conduct it economically.

Only efficient stores would exist, and only efficient factories would operate.

There would be fewer middlemen, better manufacturing and better merchandising conditions.

People without mercantile ability, now struggling along to maintain establishments of their own, would be employed under abler direction with better earnings for themselves and better service to the public.

The economic loss is not through advertising. It is through lack of advertising.—The Fourth Estate.

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- Gloves
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