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## PARADE NOTICE

The opening parade for the Fair will start promptly at ten o'clock. Firms and individuals represented in same are requested to have their floats on the lot between the residences of George E. Darsey and George E. Darsey Jr., where it will be formed, promptly at 9:30.

## GOODNIGHT—IVEY

Jack Goodnight and Miss Edna Ivey, two popular young people residing east of town, were married in Grapeland Sunday afternoon at the Methodist parsonage, Rev. B. C. Anderson officiating. We extend them our very best wishes.

## AT METHODIST CHURCH

Sunday School 10 a. m. Preaching 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Preaching at Percilla 3 p. m. "Forsake not the assembling of yourselves together, as is the manner of some."

B. C. Anderson, Pastor.

## Lasiter Quartette to Sing

It is announced that the Lasiter quartette will sing at the Methodist church next Sunday night. The public is invited to hear them.

## WANTED TO BUY

We are in the market for fat cattle and big bulls; will pay best market prices. See Bob Wherry or George Calhoun.

All the world is a wheel. We motor to work, to lunch, to the country club, to the bridge game, to the movies, and to the grocery store in the next block to get the milk. We motor to the neighbors in the next street, and to church and Sunday school. If we keep this up, in another hundred years or so the only place we shall be able to see legs will be at musical comedy. The rest of us will let 'em rot off from disuse.—Emporia Gazette.

## A FAIR BARGAIN

The Messenger for \$1.25. Renew and spend the difference.

## LIVELYVILLE NEWS

Livelyville, Oct. 21.—The Fair is here and we hope everybody will have a glorious time—from all reports there will be thousands of people in Grapeland during the week.

P. C. MacDonald spent Saturday and Sunday with home folks.

Some of our young people went over to Union to see the ball game between Union and Grapeland. The score was 39-23 in favor of Union.

Pecan hunting is the favorite sport now. Several from here went to the river Sunday.

Ruth MacDonald and two brothers spent Sunday morning with Erma Lou Elliott at Percilla.

Dan Shipper spent Sunday in Grapeland visiting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Howard spent part of last week with the latter's mother, Mrs. Jo Keen.

## HOUSEHOLD HINTS

The life of a table oilcloth can be prolonged indefinitely by pasting strong pieces of muslin to the under side where it will bend over edges and corners.

After sprinkling clothes place them in a basket and cover with a heavy blanket. It will then be safe to leave them over night even in warm weather.

To detect the presence of foreign matter in flour squeeze a handful tightly. If it clings together it is quite pure; if it crumbles away it may be adulterated with chalk or whitening.

Save your corks! When handles or rings come off tins or lids replace with a cork. Fasten on by putting a small screw through the upper side of the lid. Screw the cork down on its point. Such a handle stays on tight, does not slip in the fingers and does not heat.

Sprinkle salt generously over soot that has been spilled on a carpet and then carefully sweep salt and soot up together. This method works well even with soot that has absorbed moisture from the atmosphere in damp weather.

## GRAPELAND'S SECOND ANNUAL FAIR IS ON

On the morning you receive this issue of the Grapeland Messenger—you will be on your way to Grapeland's Second Annual Community Fair. Everyone anticipates a good time and it will be through no fault of the Fair Committees if the good time is not here for you.

Grapeland has waited anxiously for the dates of the Fair to arrive. Grapeland people have anxiously hoped that thousands would attend every one of the three days. With the prospects bright for fair weather it seems they will not be disappointed. If you are as anxious to come as we are to have you—we know that joy will be the measure of everyone's cup. Enter into the Fair Spirit and consider yourselves at home in Grapeland. If you want information or a favor, ask some Grapelandite and if he doesn't help you, report him and he will be punished accordingly.

The "keys" to everything are hereby tendered to Fair visitors.

## Protecting the Gullible

The government makes every effort to bar its mail to swindlers. There was a time when unscrupulous persons advertised: "Send 10 cents for a fine steel engraving," and "Mail us a dime for a sure big-killer," when a canceled two-cent stamp was the "steel engraving" and the "sure bug-killer" was nothing more than two blocks of wood. However, such bare-faced frauds are no longer tolerated. Few people realize what the postoffice department has done and is doing to protect the gullible of this country from being "hooked in" by get-rich quick schemes and other frauds carried on through the mails. When the department finds out that a company is swindling the people a "fraud order" is issued barring the firm's circulars from the postoffice. Usually these schemers deal in fake stocks, but sometimes a unique game is discovered. Recently the department had occasion to investigate the business of a man advertising blooded hunting dogs at a very low price. It turned out that he was selling ordinary mongrel curs picked up at random. The pedigrees furnished were fakes pure and simple. Another advertiser boasted of having found a sure cure for tuberculosis. Government chemists found that his brown sirupy liquid was nothing but cresote and maltose. Both fakers were put out of business by the department. The sad part of this work, says one postoffice official, is the fact that the very persons who would take this bait are the last ones in the world to appreciate the good work that the department is doing. Join the war on the swindler and help your country.—The Pathfinder.

## NOTICE—GIN DAYS

Beginnig next week we will gin Thursday, Friday and Saturday until further notice. Our customers will please govern themselves accordingly.

Herod & Leaverton,  
A. B. Spence,  
J. F. Bridges,  
Ginners.

## WANETA NEWS

Waneta, Oct. 22.—The Sunday school was well attended Sunday afternoon. Everybody is invited to come next Sunday and bring some one with you.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Hogan have returned home after a month's stay at Trinity, where they have been at work.

Jesse Gentry, Misses Maudine Jones, Lou Ella Hendrick, and Mrs. N. M. Hendrick spent the week end at Palestine.

Mrs. Harry Lively and children are spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. Ed George.

Miss Veda Hogan and Master Leonard Monk were in this community last Sunday.

Mrs. A. J. Goff and children spent Sunday with her mother and grandma, Mrs. Cooper and grandma Jackson.

Hozie Jackson and Miss Cynthia Dickey surprised their many friends Saturday night when they were married. We wish them a long life of happiness.

Miss Dollie Jones has returned home from Trinity.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis Hogan and daughter, Dovie spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Barnes.

Mr. and Mrs. Berry Hogan and family and Mr. Charley Moore left Sunday for west Texas.

Misses Lizzie, Dollie Scoggin and Grace Rich spent Saturday night with Mrs. Minnie Welch.

Messrs. Boyd Dickey and Jessie Gentry and Misses Lizzie Scoggin and Maudie Jones was the guests of Minnie Welch Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Scoggin and daughter, Mrs. Foster and children visited their son and brother near Alto Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Willie Barnes spent Saturday night and Sunday with her mother, Mrs. L. R. Hendrick.

Miss Allie Barnes spent Saturday night with Mrs. Mary E. Cooper.

Mrs. A. C. Barnes entertained the young people Thursday night with a singing.

Mr. and Mrs. Day of Slocum visited their son and family, Mr. C. L. Day Friday night and Saturday.

Gov. Al Smith of New York has repealed the law in his State providing for the enforcement of the prohibition act, thus leaving entirely to the Federal authorities. This act of the governor raises and issue which will figure in the next Presidential campaign, the wets taking up Smith as the leader, and the dries standing by Harding or some other 100 per cent prohibitionist. In the event the wets center on Smith there will be new party lines drawn, since he is a Catholic and will draw the solid support of that church as well as those who contend for beer and wine. There are no well defined issues between the two old parties, and the way matters are shaping up the next campaign will be fought out on religious and prohibition grounds. The South will not support a Catholic for President. Where will the South go in case Smith should be the nominee of the Democratic party?—One of the last editorials written by the late R. T. Milner, in Henderson News.

Trouble is not a self-starter. It is usually cranked by some fool.—Asheville Times.

## WALLING SELLS OUT

Eugene Walling has sold his place in south Grapeland to C. L. Haltom and will leave for Lubbock where he will follow his trade as carpenter. He and his family expect to leave this week for their new home. The best wishes of their many Grapeland friends go with them.

## WHY ADVERTISING IS ECONOMICAL

Some firms have maintained that advertising is an expense added to cost of distributing goods.

Let us see how that works. There seems no reason to doubt that any concern that distributes reliable merchandise can secure and hold a greatly increased trade by advertising. Watch the crowd flock into a store after a sale is announced, and your own eyes will prove it.

Over and over again, small and obscure firms have gone ahead in a short time, as the result of judicious publicity. When a store tells about its goods and solicits patronage, people feel a desire to see the merchandise thus offered, and they also think that such a place is a live one that will give good service.

Many stores double their sales in a short time through using regular publicity. But the expense of such a store did not double from the increase of trade. Its overhead costs for interest, taxes, rent, salaries, etc, would have increased but very little. And its operating expenses would not come anywhere near doubling. Its total costs might not be more than 25 per cent above the figures on the old basis.

Consequently the charge to be made against each article for overhead and running expenses would be much less than previously. The store could sell stuff for less money than before.

Advertising enables the enterprising merchant to do business on a bigger scale and take advantage of special opportunities. If the nonadvertiser is offered a large lot of goods at a special price, he might feel that the deal was too big for him to swing with his regular trade.

But the advertiser would know that by announcing a special sale, he could get the public coming to his place, and could work off those goods in a short time. He could afford to sell them at a low price, and the deal would pay through the big volume of sales in a brief period.

Thus the advertising store can handle large deals at a profit both to itself and the public, and newspaper publicity is one of the biggest forces tending to reduce the cost of distributing merchandise.

## BUY FEED NOW

We have lots of alfalfa and prairie hay, maize heads, feed and seed oats and chops. Better buy now, as feed is going up.

J. W. Howard.

The funny thing is that some folks imagine that they can play truant from the school of experience.

## Big Car of Furniture

Due to Arrive this Week

Iron Beds	Center Tables
Mattresses	Library Tables
Springs	Chiffarobes
Rocking Chairs	Dressers
Dining Chairs	Wash Stands
Dining Tables	Rugs of all kinds.

Big line of Cook Stoves

Come to see us

## Keeland Bros.

The people that keep the price down

# Welcome to Grapeland Fair and to our Store

We want you to come to see us during the fair and make our store your headquarters  
We want you to see what we have to offer in seasonable merchandise

Men dress hats . . . \$2.50 to \$7.50	Star Brand Shoes for the whole	Due this week all the new shades
Men's and boy's caps 50c to \$3.50	family—Soldi Leather— Best on	in canton crepes, new shades in
Men's suits . . . \$15.00 to \$35.00	Earth.	ladies hose. Just come see what
Boy's suits . . . . \$4.50 to \$12.50	Try a Pair	we have to offer.

We make a bid for your business on quality and price and an inspection by you will be to our mutual benefit.

DEPENDABLE  
MERCHANTS

## McLean & Riall

GRAPELAND  
TEXAS

### THE FIGHT TO SAVE LIFE

The raidroads of the country have been carrying on active campaigns against carelessness by pedestrians and automobiles in crossing railroad tracks.

A California law went into effect August 31 requiring motor vehicles carrying passengers for hire, school busses or trucks, carrying explosives or inflammables to come to a full stop before crossing steam railroad or interurban or suburban electric railroads.

The necessity for such a law in all states has been emphasized recently in Oregon where three different automobiles were driven on to the Southern Pacific Co.'s tracks in front of oncoming trains. The result has been two deaths and several injuries. In each instance the track was in clear view a mile or more in each direction. Not only should the California law be adopted in other states but it should be made more stringent and require that all automobiles, either commercial or private, must come to a stop before crossing railroad tracks.

The California law provides a fine of \$500 or imprisonment not exceeding six months, or both, for non-compliance with the law by commercial vehicles. A fine or suspension of driver's license or both could be applied to private vehicles.—The Manufacturer.

Speaking of waste, there is that ever-recurring line to the effect that the condemned man ate a hearty breakfast.—Robert Quillen.

### STILL ONE MORE

A chaste volume of 108 pages, with paper covers in two colors, has come to hand and reposes modestly on the desk of State Press. Its title is alluring and its author, who has published several works of similar tenor, is justly entitled to laudatory criticism. "Proceedings of the Forty-Fourth Annual Session Texas Press Association" is the name of the book, and it is by Sam P. Harben, C. S., which two letters stand for Continuous Secretary. The first few pages are adorned with advertising, after which a half-tone likeness of President Sam M. Braswell appears, all dressed up. The succeeding chapters are devoted to solid reading, with occasional interruptions in the way of pictures illustrating the types of beauty which compose the Press Association. There is Mr. Luker of Grapeland and Mr. Lehmann of San Antonio, one a neutral brunet and the other a neutral blond, and both of them with recently brushed hair. The middle of the book is the best part, it being a first-hand account of experiences entitled "Doin' Time in the Penitentiary," by H. Crit Conally, who was formerly a newspaper man. Mr. Conally is at present secretary of the Board of Prison Commissioners, Huntsville, Texas, and it was from the vantage point of his office, rather than from the disadvantage point of a second-story cell, that he obtained inside information. There are a good many things in Mr. Harben's book, and nonmembers of the press who desire a copy of it may obtain same by addressing the Harben Job Printing Office, Richardson, Texas, and sending a certified check for \$25.—State Press, in Dallas News.

Mrs. O. W. Davis is visiting relatives in Houston this week.

### Statement of the Ownership and Management, Required by the Act of Congress of August 24, 1912

Of The Grapeland Messenger published weekly at Grapeland Texas for October 1923. State of Texas County of Houston

Before me, a Notary Public in and for the State and county aforesaid, personally appeared A. H. Luker, who having been duly sworn according to law, deposes and says that he is the Editor of the Grapeland Messenger, and that the following is, to the best of his knowledge and belief, a true statement of the ownership, and management of the aforesaid publication for the date shown in the above caption, required by the Act of August 24, 1912, embodied in section 443, Postal Laws and Regulations.

1. That the name and address of the publisher, editor, managing editor, and business manager is:

A. H. Luker, Grapeland, Texas.

2. That the owners are: (Give names and addresses of individual owners, or, if a corporation, give its name and the names and addresses of stockholders owning or holding 1 per cent or more of the total amount of stock.) Not a corporation. A. H. Luker, sole owner.

3. That the known bondholders, mortgagees, and other security holders owning or holding 1 per cent or more of total amount of bonds, mortgages, or other securities are: None.

A. H. Luker.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 22nd day of Oct. 1923.

U. M. Brock, Notary Public, (SEAL) Houston County, Texas My commission expires June 1, 1925.

### CHEERFULNESS

There is enough good, enough joy, enough brightness, enough soul sunshine in the world, without giving space to other things.

Cheerfulness has a marked value, but the face will not shine if the spirit within is clouded. A cheerful spirit illuminates the face until it radiates blessing and hope to all around us. A smiling face pays dividends every day. One cheerful spirit and glad countenance clears up the atmosphere in the house, in business, in the social circle, and does good

like a medicine.

Cheerfulness is a tonic for the mind and body; it is one of the greatest forces in winning and keeping friends; it is the antidote to worry, fear, discouragement, perplexity and discord: it is the builder of life and vigor.—(Yeomen Battle Ax.

### REASON FLED

Parent—"What is your reason for wishing to marry my daughter?"

Young Man—"I have no reason, sir; I am in love."—London Opinion.



IF YOU ARE IN A BIG HURRY  
WE CAN  
PRESS YOUR CLOTHES  
WHILE YOU WAIT  
SERVICE IS OUR MIDDLE NAME

**M. L. Clewis**  
Your Tailor



# Ford

THE UNIVERSAL CAR

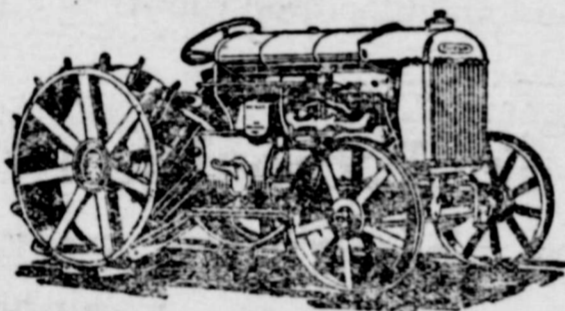
GRAPELAND FAIR  
October 24-25-26

There is only one time to do most of the important farm operations. That is the right time.

With a Fordson you can be sure of being ready at the right time. Let us demonstrate this to you at the Ford exhibit.

We will show the new tools developed for use with the Fordson and explain the many uses to you and your family. Ford cars with the new body changes will interest you, also.

GRAPELAND MOTOR CO.



CARS · TRUCKS · TRACTORS



### INSECTS TO BE NUMEROUS NEXT SPRING

(By R. R. Reppert, Extension Service Entomologist.)

In general, we believe Texas farmers have come to realize the effectiveness of the fall clean-up to control various cotton pests, including the boll weevil. Excessive rains have thus far prevented carrying into effect the measures recommended however, both because picking has been delayed and because the soil has been too wet for stalk cutting or plowing in those communities where picking has been completed. It is a case where the intentions are good but natural conditions are against the farmer.

These very conditions however, are favoring heavy infestation next spring by breeding large numbers of insects this fall. While weevil infestation was low the past summer, due to the drouth and hot weather, the moist conditions of the past few weeks have been favorable to the insects' multiplication. Wherever the writer has examined fields, practically all green squares were found to be harboring weevil larvae. This is going to insure large numbers of young and well-fed larvae, going into winter quarters, if the cotton so continues to grow.

The same conditions of moisture are inducing a heavy growth of weeds both in the field and along fences. This growth is encouraging a multiplication of both web worm and cut worms. We have personally observed cut worms at work in the gardens and the web worm is also doing a great amount of damage. If conditions continue favorable to these two insects, and next season's cotton fields are weedy and grassy during the winter and up to near the time of planting, the damage that resulted last spring from the web worm and cut worm, especially the latter, in parts of the cotton belt, will appear insignificant as compared with what will occur next spring.

Our work consists as much in foretelling insect outbreaks and suggestive preventive measures as in giving remedies after the insects are present. Preventive measures are by far the better, where such can be applied. As before mentioned, winter conditions may be such as to make our fears groundless. But don't count on them. Present indications favor heavy insect infestation of cotton next year.

Do what you can now to prevent damage next year. As soon as the weather is favorable—

1. Kill the cotton plant at once.

2. Prepare the soil this fall, preferably by plowing to a depth of six inches.

3. Keep weed growth entirely eradicated during winter and spring by occasional harrowing.

4. Burn trash along fences, ditches and other waste places in mid-winter. "Fight 'em in '23; Miss 'em in '24."

### A SPLENDID FEELING

That tired, half-sick, discouraged feeling caused by a torpid liver and constipated bowels can be gotten rid of with surprising promptness by using *Herbine*. You feel its beneficial effect with the first dose as its purifying and regulating effect is thorough and complete. It not only drives out bile and impurities but it imparts a splendid feeling of exhilaration, strength, vim, and buoyancy of spirits. Price 60c. Sold by Wade L. Smith

COMING TO PALESTINE

### DR. MELLENTHIN

SPECIALIST in Internal Medicine for the past twelve years DOES NOT OPERATE

Will be at O'Neil Hotel Saturday, Nov. 10. Office Hours: 10 a. m. to 4 p. m. One Day Only

No Charge for Consultation Dr. Mellenthin is a regular graduate in medicine and surgery and is licensed by the state of Texas.

He visits professionally the more important towns and cities and offers to all who call on this trip free consultation, except the expense of treatment when desired.

According to his method of treatment he does not operate for chronic appendicitis, gall stones, ulcers of stomach, tonsils or adenoids.

He has to his credit wonderful results in diseases of the stomach, liver, bowels, blood, skin, nerves, heart, kidney, bladder, bed wetting, catarrh, weak lungs, rheumatism, sciatica, leg ulcers and rectal ailments.

If you have been ailing for any length of time and do not get any better, do not fail to call, as improper measures rather than disease are very often the cause of your long standing trouble.

Remember above date, that consultation on this trip will be free and that his treatment is different. Married women must be accompanied by their husbands.

Address: 211 Bradbury Bldg., Los Angeles, California.

### FORDSON TRACTOR FAIR ATTRACTION

To show advantage of adopting it to agricultural and industrial power requirements

Because of the constantly increasing number of uses to which Fordson Tractors are being applied, the display of these power plants at the Grapeland fair will interest not only the farmer, but the contractor, manufacturer and road builder as well, said W. E. Carlton, local Ford dealer.

The exhibit has been arranged by Grapeland Motor Co. and will afford visitors an opportunity of becoming intimately acquainted with the economic value of the Fordson.

More general recognition of the advantages of power farming has brought the Fordson into greater popularity in the agricultural sections of the country this year than ever before. On the farms it does duty in a variety of ways—in the fields operating plows, discs, harrows, and other implements; in the farm yard, operating pumps, saw mills, feed mills, thresher, silo fillers and other equipment devised to lighten the burdens of the farmer.

More remarkable, however, has been the recent growth of the Fordson as an industrial power plant. At the fair it is being used to run the generator and furnish electric lights.

Development of equipment to fit Fordson power capabilities has been marked during the last year until at present there is almost no job in which power is needed but what the Fordson is filling the bill.

In road construction and maintenance Fordson equipment is proving most efficient and highway engineers everywhere are utilizing it.

Contractors, construction men and buliders are adopting Fordsons to meet their needs in operating as locomotives on narrow gauge tracks, hauling heavy trailers, running saw mills, pumps, electric generators, rock crushers and other belt and gear driven pieces of stationary equipment.

### Mrs. O. A. Harris Injured

Thursday afternoon Mrs. O. A. Harris was injured when a tree in the cotton field where she was working, blew down and the end of the tree struck her across the shoulder and inflicted a scalp wound in her head. Her husband had warned her that it was dangerous for her to work in the field where so many dead trees were, but she insisted on helping finish the work.

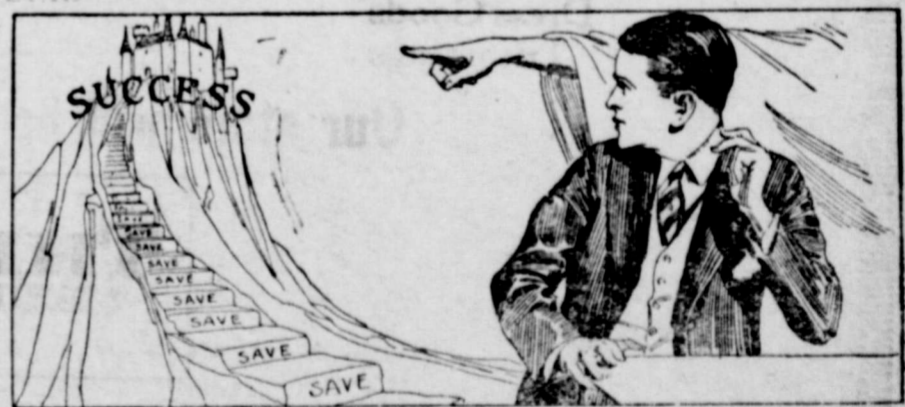
Her condition Friday was not considered dangerous, and examination proved that no internal injury was inflicted.

Edward Allen and Miss Eva Lee Walling were recently married in Grapeland by Elder. A. A. Allen.

### LET'S STOP DRIFTING

Calling to the attention of the public the rapid increase of crime in the United States and the infrequency with which criminals are brought to justice, the American Bar Association, in session in Minneapolis, Minn., urges that the whole code of criminal practice in the 48 states be rewritten so that the "long arm of the law might come swift, sure, constant and on occasion merciful." Going further the committee making the report says "the trial of the criminal seems like a game of chance with all the chances in favor of the criminal and, if he escapes, he seems to have the sympathy of the public." This is a terrible arraignment, but there is so much truth in it that we cannot afford to lightly dismiss the charge. Respect for law and reverence for religion seem to be rapidly waning and it behooves those of us who have not lost our mental balance to add our vote and our personal influence on every possible occasion to stabilize the conditions of society to the end that crime will become uncommon and escape from just punishment a rarity.—Bryan Eagle.

Clewis represents one of the best dye works in the state.



## The Only Way

Ask any successful man today the best, the surest and the quickest way to success and he will invariably tell you "Save."

He ought to know, since he has been through the mill, and if his experience is worth while, and it must be since it helped him, why don't you take advantage of his advice and start a Savings Account with this strong Bank today?

## Guaranty State Bank

U. M. BROCK, Cashier.



# COTTON EXPOSITION



See it in the Curio Department at the Grapeland Fair



The story of Cotton from the field to the finished product is forcefully told in a series of displays loaned The Darsey Co. by

**MARSHALL FIELD & COMPANY**  
of Chicago

While everybody in this section is familiar with how cotton is grown, very few know the process of manufacture, and this valuable exhibit is most interesting and highly educational. We invite you to see it.

We will also exhibit in this department, through the courtesy of the United States Rubber Company, probably the largest and smallest rubber boots in the world, together with raw and manufactured rubber in different stages.

At our store Thursday and Friday an Exposition of smart things to wear and serviceable things for winter

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| <p><b>FOR LADIES</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Dresses</li> <li>Coat Suits</li> <li>Coats</li> <li>Skirts</li> <li>Sweaters</li> <li>Footwear</li> <li>Millinery</li> <li>Underwear</li> <li>Dress Goods</li> <li>Trimmings</li> </ul> | <p><b>FOR MEN</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Overcoats</li> <li>Suits</li> <li>Shirts</li> <li>Hats</li> <li>Shoes</li> <li>Sweaters</li> <li>Underwear</li> <li>Work Clothes</li> <li>Collars</li> </ul> | <p><b>FOR BOYS</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Suits</li> <li>Sweaters</li> <li>Shoes</li> <li>Shirts</li> </ul> <p><b>FOR GIRLS</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Dresses</li> <li>Coats</li> <li>Shoes</li> <li>Underwear</li> <li>Sweaters</li> </ul> |
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Our store will be closed Wednesday---meet us at the Fair

**THE DARSEY Co.**  
GRAPELAND'S CASH DRY GOODS STORE

**THE MESSENGER**

A. H. LUKER, Editor and Owner  
Entered in the Postoffice every Thursday as second class mail matter

THURSDAY, OCT 25, 1923

Lloyd George, who is touring this country and Canada, says Europe owes this country a debt of gratitude. Yes, and Europe owes us something besides gratitude—and that is what we are worrying about.

It's true we have too many laws and no one knows all the laws and violates some of them some times, but there is no ex-

cuse for local sportsmen to flagrantly violate the game laws. You fellows who have been slipping off to shoot ducks and quail had better cut it out.

Texas has the natural attractions to draw visitors from all parts of the United States, but unless we have good roads a large share of them will never see the state and its magnificent scenery.

And again we remind you that Grapeland is a good town to live in, a good place to trade, and a good one to keep your money in, but in time it will cease to be either unless you are loyal to it. See which merchants are advertising in The Messenger and tell them what you want.

**Opportunity Keeps Knocking**

The old saying about opportunity knocking but once gets our goat. Opportunity is the busiest little puss we ever saw and if the average person would just give it a chance to show what it could do, we all would be making a good living.

Opportunity is the best little knocker in the world. It's knocking all the time. Even when you are about half asleep, something comes to your mind which, if carried out it would mean success. That was opportunity knocking.

If you'd stop to think, oppor-

tunity is taking a crack at you right now—trying to convince you that this paper is the best advertising medium in the world so far as you are concerned, and if you don't grab that opportunity by the hind legs and choke it into submission, don't blame us if your bank balance begins to wear a sort of pink complexion.

Any human being can take advantage of opportunity. The only thing that can not take that advantage is something without life. As an illustration: if the statue of Liberty had been a real woman she would have had more lovers than a French soldier had cooties. She had the

opportunity but she couldn't take the advantage.

We love the statue of Liberty, but don't fail to remember that we'd rather be our own sweet self than to be the statue of Liberty—and we don't want to feel that you are on that order and cannot take advantage of the opportunity which is being given you right now.—Panola County Watchman.

Trim your lamp so that it will give more light and less smoke, and carry it in front so that your shadow will fall behind you.—Henry Van Dyke.

# Grapeland's BIG FAIR

Come in and join the great crowds at the Fair and see the wonderful sights Wednesday, Thursday and Friday this week.

When in town visit our store. We have very low prices on entire stock of merchandise, consisting of dry goods, groceries, hardware and feed and we welcome you in to see us.

## C. H. Sewell & Co.

GRAPELAND'S CHEAP CASH STORE

IN FRANK ALLEN'S STORE GRAPELAND, TEXAS

MICKIE SAYS—

A FEW NICKELS WILL PAY FER AN AD T' SELL TH' STOVE ER FIND A JOB, BUY TO BUILD UP A STEADY LOYAL PATRONAGE, YA GOTTA HAVE A FAIR-SIZED AD AN' RUN IT REG'LAR!



A retail merchant has found that the right-hand side of his store does fifty per cent more business than the left-hand side, although the stock on each side is, in his judgment, of equal attractiveness. On inquiry he learned that other merchants had observed similar conditions in

### HOW'S THIS?

HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE will do what we claim for it—rid your system of Catarrh or Deafness caused by Catarrh. HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE consists of an Ointment which quickly Relieves the catarrhal inflammation, and the Internal Medicine, a Tonic, which acts through the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces, thus assisting to restore normal conditions. Sold by druggists for over 40 Years. P. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O.

# Stock Complete

If it is a patent medicine—if it is a toilet article—if it is a Sundry article or if it is a prescription—we have it or can get it for you.

We try to carry "Everything a Good Drug Store Should Have." We buy much of our merchandise direct from the manufacturers and can save you money on many things.

Don't forget to bring in your 60c coupon and get that \$1.50 bottle of Admirine

A Graduate in Pharmacy Here

## SMITH'S DRUG STORE

Everything a Good Drug Store Should Have

N. V. Streetman is building a home on his farm just south of town on the Crockett road. He at present resides in the Rock Hill community, but will move here as soon as his house is completed.

Odie Killion and family and Walter Killion and family of the Salmon community left this week for Lamesa, where they will reside in the future. The Messenger regrets to lose such good families as these, but wish them well in their new location.

their shops. He concluded that the American rule of "Turn to the Right" had inculcated in people a habit so strong that it affected their shopping expeditions.—Exchange.

The radio is a grand thing but lots of people would like it better if it spread less sunshine and more scandal.—Snap Shots.

## America's Marvels

NATURAL AND OTHERWISE

By T. T. Maxey

### DE YOUNG'S MEMORIAL MUSEUM

A habit of collecting antiquities led Mr. M. H. DeYoung, a public-spirited citizen of San Francisco, to build a museum in which to house his own and other collections and present it to the city.

Two appropriate buildings of Egyptian style, each 140 feet wide and 510 feet long, joined by a broad corridor supporting a beautiful tower, compose this museum. Salmon-tinted, and set down amid pleasingly landscaped gardens in Golden Gate park, this ensemble presents an imposing appearance.

The forty-five galleries contain more than one million objects. Their value is fabulous. The extent, oddity, variety, and completeness of the displays is amazing.

There are priceless oil paintings from the brushes of the masters; engravings of great value from many countries and of many periods; the celebrated Kunz collection containing specimens of every type of precious and semi-precious stone; coins from practically every country on the globe; a collection of reproductions of the crown jewels of the world; a collection of drums, some of which may have called warriors to battle in far-off lands; samples of precious needlework and laces dating back to the Eleventh century; the great Dore vase of bronze, 10 feet tall, weighing about 6,000 pounds and valued at \$250,000; tapestries, rich, rare, and beautiful; a pair of enormous lions in cloisonne, made for the Imperial palace at Peking, China; two giant bronze lanterns some ten feet tall, from the Temple of Nau-ko-San, Kobe.

The history of warfare of many nations is silently told by implements of destruction used from the time of the World war back to the days when men fought clad in armor. Here is a chair used by George Washington in 1789; there a Japanese teakwood cabinet 200 years old; yonder the bell (from the steamship Oregon) that clamored forth the news that California had been admitted to the Union, and a battered piece of wood from the vessel on which Napoleon sailed from Elba to France. Mirroring the civilization of past centuries is a mummy which probably lived about 200 years B. C.; another is a tear bottle, it having been an ancient custom for mourners to preserve their tears as visible evidence of their grief. There is a collection of pipes from far-off lands that would make the mouth of any smoker run water, and other objects of a surprising nature too numerous to mention.

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The average boy is glad that school starts for the same reason a man is glad to get a statement from the bank that his account is overdrawn.—Mineral Wells Index.

# Fair Week

## SPECIALS

at Henry Dailey & Company's

We welcome you to the Fair, to Grapeland, to our store where you can always get what you want when you want it and during the Fair as well as all other times you can buy your wants complete for less here than anywhere in East Texas

READ THE FOLLOWING AND TAKE ADVANTAGE OF THE GOOD VALUES

### MEN'S ALL WOOL SUITS

You never before in your life had the opportunity of buying such good all wool suits for the prices that we sell them for

\$15.00 \$18.00 \$22.50

Why Pay More?

### MEN'S DRESS SHIRTS

Now men, down to fact; have you taken a good look at our shirts? Then you can't say that I can't find what I want in shirts in Grapeland—Come see the values that we offer. They are real values.

### SHOES FOR THE FAMILY

When it comes to real shoes you will be

compelled to say that our shoes are the very best to be had for the money. They are all solid leather, well put together and every pair is guaranteed to be all leather a new pair if paper is found in them for prices from .....90c to \$7.50

### HATS! HATS!

These are the very newest hats that the markets offer and prices are from \$50c to \$1.00, less than others sell them for—so why do you fail to get your hat here?

### SAY, MRS. LADY

What about these cold nights ahead for the kiddies? Don't you need a good

warm blanket? Well, we are prepared to take care of your blanket needs. Now come early for we sell them for less money than others. They will soon be gone—come see them. Prices \$2.25 to \$8.

### LADIES POIRET TWILL DRESSES

We have a few poiret twill dresses left. These dresses sell for at least \$30.00 and \$17.50. Our prices for them for quick sale .....\$12.50 and \$20.00 Don't wait a day for they will be gone. \$12.50 \$20.00

### LADIES HOUSE DRESSES

We have left a very few house dresses at prices from \$1.50 to \$2.00, our special price for a few days only .....\$1.35

Each and every person who comes to Grapeland has an invitation to visit our store and make their purchases and save money.

# HENRY DAILEY & COMPANY

# Ford

## New Prices

Effective October 2, the Ford Motor Company announces the following reduced prices on all Ford Cars and Trucks.

Runabout	- -	\$265.00
Touring Car	- -	295.00
Coupe	- -	525.00
Four-Door Sedan		685.00
Chassis	- -	230.00
Truck Chassis	-	370.00

All Prices F. O. B. Detroit

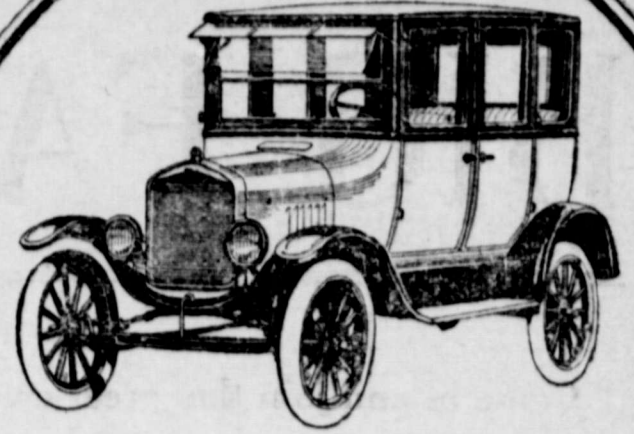
These are the lowest prices in all Ford history. With the recent changes and refinements that have been made in every body type, Ford Cars now offer new values in motor transportation. Especially is this true of the new Four-door Sedan with its streamline body and many added conveniences.

### The Fordson Tractor

The price of the Fordson Tractor has been increased \$25.00, making the present price \$420.00 F. O. B. Detroit.

*You can take advantage of these new prices through the Ford Weekly Purchase Plan*

Grapeland Motor Co.



GRAPELAND FAIR  
October 24-25-26

**D**ISPLAY of the new body changes in Ford cars makes our exhibit at the Fair of unusual interest.

Not only is the appearance improved by the new body types but comfort and utility are increased.

As a business man, you will be interested in the Fordson and Ford Truck exhibit. You may be able to effect many savings by adapting one or both these units to your needs.

A showing of a number of new tools developed for use with the Fordson will make you realize how farming is easier and more profitable with a Fordson.

There is something of interest for everyone at the Ford exhibit.

GRAPELAND MOTOR CO.



CARS · TRUCKS · TRACTORS

### NEW FORD TYPES IN FAIR EXHIBIT

Cars will be shown in display of Grapeland Motor Co., local dealer

Higher radiator brings increased cooling efficiency and better appearance to whole line.

The new Ford cars will be on display at the Grapeland fair.

They will be featured in the exhibit of the Grapeland Motor Co., local dealer of the Ford Motor Company, and are sure to attract the attention of everyone. The large radiator, hood and cowl which has been introduced throughout the whole Ford line has brought a marked improvement in all types. The front of the cars also is given a much more finished appearance by the radiator apron connecting with similar apron effect of the fender on either side.

The Ford Coupe, which is of new design and construction and conspicuous by many refinements, is drawing enthusiastic comments from everyone who has seen it. The body lines are graceful and the windshield visor and cowl ventilator give added touches of completeness to the car.

Greater luggage carrying capacity is provided in the rear compartment. Seating arrangement is improved and a divided cushion permits the filling of the gas-line tank under the seat without

the necessity of the driver leaving his place.

The higher radiator also has brought much better appearance to the four-door Sedan an enclosed type which has been highly popular since its introduction. Lines of both the Touring Car and Runabout have been given more stream-line effect and greater attractiveness by the changes.

The new radiator also is extended to the Ford Truck chassis affording improved appearance and better cooling.

### PREVENTS INFECTION

The greatest discovery in flesh healing is the marvelous Borozone, a preparation that comes in liquid and powder form. It is a combination treatment that not only purifies the wound of germs that cause infection but it heals the flesh with extraordinary speed. Bad wounds or cuts which take weeks to heal with the ordinary liniments mend quickly under the powerful influence of this wonderful remedy. Price (Liquid) 30c, 60c and \$1.20. Powder 30c and 60c. Sold by

Wade L. Smith

Walter Killion, Ben Moseley, Oscar Garrison, Wylie Moseley and Tucker Campbell of Salmon returned home Saturday from an automobile trip to Lamesa, where they visited their Houston county friends who are now living there. Mr. Killion bought a place and will remove to Lamesa in the near future.

### GOOD GRAVEL ROADS

Since this is the day of automobiles and trucks on the farm, the question of a good road around the home place is of vital importance. The county or State funds cannot build a gravel road to every farm house. That would be impracticable. Therefore, the farmer must look around for an economical way to do it himself. When we think of the many creeks, with beds of gravel waiting to be utilized into a good road, we wonder why there are no more good gravel roads around every farm.

The work can be done entirely during wet and muddy weather if necessary, and in this way by putting in work on it at times when he could not be doing work in the field. Of course, it could not be expected to build any great length of road in one or two days unless the farmer has considerable help. But by first grading up the road, or a part of it, during one wet spell, finishing it the next one, and then start putting the gravel from the creek bed on it each succeeding rain thereafter, until the road is up in first-class condition, a lot may be accomplished.

Even though the gravel supply might not be enough to build the required length of road, one

needs only to wait until the next rain and when the water has receded, he will find a new gravel bed waiting for him.

To figure the saving a good gravel road would be to each farm would be an impossibility, for its good will go on so long as the farm is operated, and the road is kept up, which can be done very easily by filling in each weak place with more gravel from the creek, as it is needed.

So economical is this kind of road, that wherever there is a creek with gravel beds, there is no excuse for the live, progressive farmer not having a gravel road all around the farm. By co-operation among farmers, a gravel road can be extended to the county or State highways, or to the next closest town. However, that is a question that would bring in other points, and this is an article to apply to the individual farmer who would like to have a good gravel road for his own use on and around his farm.

It will be the means of his being able to do hauling in muddy weather, when it would be impossible to do it, did he not have a gravel road, and this alone will be worth much in dollars and cents in the course of a year in getting products or machinery under shelter when the weather

requires it.

As this is an opportunity to have a good road with no investment except work, every farmer should give it serious consideration, and make arrangements to work on the suggestion.—G. R. Farmer, in Farm & Ranch.

### WANTED

5000 lbs. chickens, 5000 dozen eggs. Highest cash price paid. J. W. Howard.

### NEGROE'S HOUSE BURNED

Earnest Burns, negro living in the Reynard section, lost his house and all contents by fire Thursday of last week.

The block of granite, which was an obstacle in the pathway of the weak, becomes a stepping stone in the pathway of the strong.—Carlyle.

I have but one lamp by which my feet are guided, and that is the lamp of experience. I know no way of judging of the future but by the past—Patrick Henry.

### JOHN SPENCE Lawyer

CROCKETT, TEXAS

Office up stairs over Millar & Berry's Store

THAT BOY OF OURS

State Press begs to acknowledge receipt of a birth card, tied with a delicate ribbon and edged with the dearest kind of a pink border, from Henry Edwards Luker, associate editor of the Grapeland Messenger, who was born Sept. 27, last. The postage stamp was supplied by his papa, A. H. Luker, and the soft little knot in the delicate little ribbon was tied by his mama, Mrs. Luker. In sending his card to State Press the little Luker disclosed sounder judgment than his parents did when they named him Henry Edwards. That designation doubtless comes from some family appellation, maybe a grandpa or an avuncular relative, but the people generally are liable to suppose the name was given in honor of the editor of the Troup Banner, whose entire name is Henry Edwards. Whether his supposition will be a handicap to little Luker, or whether he will wear his otherwise bright boyhood away with explanations is a matter that

can be determined only by the grist from the millstones of time. But the little Luker will be entitled to change the first parts of his name when he reaches the age of discretion if he shall so elect. And if he doesn't so elect, folks may think he hasn't reached the age of discretion. Anyhow, here is one who hopes for you all manner of good luck and no manner of bad luck, Henry Edwards Luker.—State Press, in Dallas News.

NAMED FOR THE EDITOR

"Another boy" was the message the old stork delivered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Luker last Thursday afternoon, September 27, 1923.

The young man will bear the name of Henry Edwards, being named after his daddy, his uncle, Rev. Frank Edward Luker of Henderson, and Henry Edwards of Troup, the illustrious and versatile editor of the Troup Banner.—Grapeland Messenger.

Now isn't that fine luck for Editor and Mrs. Luker. We just know that they have much joy in the aforementioned message of the stork, for Editor Luker chronicled the receipt of the "message" on his front page top of the first column. That the youngster is named for his father, and his uncle, and an admiring friend of his parents is a distinct honor to dad, uncle and friend. It is customary for people thus honored to give to their namesake a present of some kind. We do not know what the others plan to give the youngster, but as for this writer, he's a good mind to deed little Henry Edwards a beautiful acre lot in the residential district of this town of Troup, blessed above every other spot on the entire face of the earth. And if there be any consideration which may restrain this Editor from his present intentions, it is a fear that, once little Henry Edwards Luker should see his property in this blessed town, his affections would be alienated from his proud Pa and Ma.—Henry Edwards, in Troup Banner.

Well, the big show is on. Don't you think it is a pretty good one?

STOP THAT ITCHING

Use Blue Star Remedy for Eczema, Itch, Tetter or Cracked Hands, Ring Worms, Chapped Face, Poison Oak, Sunburns, Old Sores or Sores on Children. It relieves all forms of Sore Feet. For sale by

WADE L. SMITH

ANTRIM NEWS

Antrim, Oct. 22.—This week is "Fair" week and we are wondering how many people from here are going. Of course, most everyone will go, or want to at least.

Mrs. A. W. Brinson and children were visitors at the home of J. F. Martin's Sunday.

Rev. W. R. Durnell went to Ephesus Saturday where he filled his appointment Sunday. He was accompanied by his daughters, Misses Mamie and Lillie Ruth, also Eula Maud and Edith Lois Durnell.

Charles Brinson left Wednesday for Houston where he will obtain a position and make his home there in the future.

J. F. Durnell and wife spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Edens.

Mrs. Arch McQueen was real sick Friday but she is better now.

Miss Eula Durnell left last week for Jacksonville, where she will attend school this term.

J. F. Martin recently returned home from a ten day's visit with his daughter and other relatives in Houston.

Mr. and Mrs. Arch McQueen and children spent Saturday and Sunday in the Ephesus community.

Mrs. Jno. F. Martin says she believes she has canned as much this year as any one woman in this county. The following is a list of the things she has canned: Tomatoes and soup mixture, 75 jars; Sweet and sour Cucumber pickles 60 jars; Apples 14; Berries 54; canned and pickled Peaches 56; Pears 4; Plums 8; Grapes 6; Beet Pickles 37; Kraut 10; Cabbage 6; Beans 6; Muscadine Jelly and Preserves 14; Pepper 10; Chow chow 16; cat-sup and chilli sauce 14; Pear Butter and preserves 9; Fig Preserves 24; Peach Preserves 3; Canned Beef Steak 7; total 433 jars. Besides this Mrs. Martin dried 33 lbs of peaches and saved a nice supply of pink, pinto and butterbeans. Come on now sisters, who can beat it? Write and tell the county what you are doing.

School began here Oct. 8th and we have had two weeks of school already with Misses Jennie Lucas and Willie Mae Sullivan as teachers.

We still have singing every Sunday night. Everybody come out next Sunday night and let's see who can sing the best. Come and bring some one with you.

SALMON SAYINGS

Salmon, Oct. 22.—Our new school building has been completed and is considered one of the best rural school buildings in the county. It has four large class rooms and an auditorium that will seat several hundred people, and will be a monument to the progressive people of this community.

School has begun with young Mr. Smith of near Crockett as principal. His sister, Miss Eva Pearl Smith, and Mrs. Omer Shipper are assisting him.

Mr. and Mrs. Omer Shipper have moved to Salmon.

Will Craig has sold his place and he and his family will remove to Midlothian.

Ben Mosely left last week for Lamesa where he will teach school.

Misses Ira and Mattie Dell Allen of Jones School House community were recent visitors at the homes of L. N. Lasiter and G. T. Smith.

Norman Lasiter is building a modern, five room house on his farm north of town.

Bro. Willie Kolb will preach for us next Sunday. Everybody come and let's give him a good crowd.

Mrs. M. L. Clewis and her daughter, Mrs. Harry Richards, left last week for Lake Charles, La., to visit the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Johnston.

THE HOME GUARDS  
Livergard and Lungardia

Livergard is the New Laxative we can not improve; excels all others. When a Laxative is needed, makes laughing babies of puny ones, keeps old folks young.

Lungardia has no equal for Coughs, Colds, Sore Throat; unsurpassed in removing deep Coughs of long standing. One trial convinces. Lungardia Co. Dallas, Texas.

For sale by Wade L. Smith.

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 Land Titles of Houston County.

J. W. YOUNG  
Crockett, Texas

"How long did it take your wife to learn to drive?"

"It will be ten years in September."—The Passing Show (London.)

When you hear a hen cackle it means a dividend if you can locate the place where she deposited the egg.

After Every Meal  
A universal custom that benefits everybody. Aids digestion, cleanses the teeth, soothes the throat.

WRIGLEY'S

a good thing to remember

Scaled in its Purity Package



THE FLAVOR LASTS

Sickly, Peevish Children

Children suffering from intestinal worms are cross, restless and unhealthy. There are other symptoms, however. If the child is pale, has dark rings under the eyes, bad breath and takes no interest in play, it is almost a certainty that worms are eating away its vitality. The surest remedy for worms is White's Cream Vermifuge. It is positive destruction to the worms but harmless to the child. Price 35c. Sold by

Wade L. Smith

AT THE  
STAR THEATRE

Wednesday & Thursday

Thomas Meighan Production  
"Conquest of Canaan"  
MACK SENNETT COMEDY  
"SPEED"

Friday afternoon and Night

Big Feature Picture  
"Moral Fibre"  
LARRY SEMON COMEDY  
"Dew Drop Inn"

Saturday afternoon and Night

"HOME STRETCH"  
MACK SENNETT COMEDY  
"MY GOODNESS!"

A Clear Record



Checks give you a clear record of all money paid out, either for business or for personal needs

It is for this reason that every business man considers the opening of a Checking Account one of the first steps in establishing any enterprise.

Our service along commercial lines is guided by the experience of years. Drop n and talk it over.

Farmers & Merchants  
State Bank

W. D. GRANBERRY, Cashier

"Built Me Up"

"I USED Cardui for years and it did me more good than any medicine I ever used," writes Mrs. M. C. Ragsdale, of Fort Towson, Okla. "I used to suffer with womanly trouble that weakened me until I was a mere shadow, nervous, and could not sleep. I did not feel like I could live.

"It seemed that nothing helped me till I heard of Cardui and began to use it. It

strengthened me and, 'twas recommended to do, it regulated and built me up till I was like another woman."

If you are weak, run-down and feel that you need a tonic, take Cardui, the woman's tonic, the tonic about which you have always heard, the tonic that helps weak women regain their strength.

Cardui acts on the womanly system and helps relieve pain and discomfort due to female ailments.

Try Cardui, today, for your trouble.

CARDUI  
The Woman's Tonic



Long Service

Long service is the one thing you expect, and have the right to expect, from Tires.

All we ask is a trial—and you will want a complete set of

GATES TIRES

Norman's Garage  
J. C. NORMAN, Proprietor

TIRES TUBES ACCESSORIES

# Locals

Try us. Wet will please you at Guice's Gas Station.

Have your hats cleaned and reblocked. M. L. Clewis.

Renew your subscription during the fair and save a quarter.

Buy your alfalfa hay from J. W. Howard.

Don't fail to visit Guice's Drive In Filling Station when you are in town.

Renew your subscription to The Messenger during the fair for \$1.25.

Misses Rena Ross Richards, Mabel Boykin and Lucindy Darsey spent Sunday at the Dallas fair.

G. M. Pridgen returned to Houston Monday, after a visit with his daughter, Mrs. W. T. Pridgen.

### FOR SALE

41 7-10 acres unimproved land 2 miles south east of Grapeland. 4t W. O. Alford, Overton, Tex.

Henry Mills and his sister, Miss Annie Lee, are spending the week in Dallas with his sister and seeing the sights at the fair.

J. H. Hudnell and Mrs. Clara Belle Brinkley were married Monday at the home of W. M. Brown, Esq. John A. Davis officiating.

John Burden, Charlie Gentry, Arch Wall and Richard Spence went to Houston last Saturday, where each purchased a new Ford car.

Herod Parker has bought the Moore home and will move to town in the near future. Mr. Parker is working for J. H. Ryan

Mr. R. L. Williams and his daughter, Miss Dora, of Overton, are here to spend the week with his daughter, Mrs. Will Selkirk, and to attend the fair.

T. S. Kent returned Sunday from Montecello where he attended the annual meeting of the Neches River Baptist association

Free air, water and service at Guice's Drive In Filling Station.

The Messenger for \$1.25 during the three days of the fair—October 24, 25, 26.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. McKnight of Cooledge are here to see the fair and visit relatives.

### FOR SALE

A cow and yearling. Apply to Dr. A. M. Fisher.

WANTED—Hand to work through winter. Apply to J. F. Durnell, Route 3.

We will appreciate it if you will give us a chance to serve you at Guice's Gas Station.

### FOR SALE

Extra good Jersey cow and young calf; also good mule colt. H. C. Jones, Route 1.

Visit our booth on the fair grounds and renew your subscription for \$1.25. The Messenger.

Mrs. Aubrey Lively and children of Houston are here on a visit to her mother, Mrs. Josie Taylor.

I offer my farm of 133 acres at a bargain if taken in the next 20 days.

S. W. Haynes, R 4.

Mrs. E. E. Hollingsworth of Houston is here spending the week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John A. Davis and visiting her numerous friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Royall left Monday for Oakwood where they will reside in the future, Mr. Royall having accepted a position with the Oakwood Motor Co.

A girl used to want to know if he had enough to start up house-keeping with; now she wants to know if he has enough money to pay alimony.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

### HOGS WANTED

I am in the market for about 60 stocker hogs, weighing 100 pounds up. See me if you have any to sell. J. W. Howard.

### WANTED

1000 men and boy ages 14 to 99 years to order fall suits. Prices right.

Clewis Tailor Shop.

### HULLS AND MEAL

I now have plenty of hulls and meal on hand and would advise early buying, as the high price of seed is sure to cause meal and hulls to be higher later on in the season.

J. W. Howard.

### FOR SALE CHEAP

Several houses at my mill on Geo. Calhoun farm. Also lot of No. 2 and No. 3 lumber. Will be at the mill from Tuesday to Friday of each week.

2t George Shaver.

Maj. J. F. Martin of Texarkana came in Monday morning to spend several days visiting among his numerous friends. Mr. Martin is hale and hearty despite his advanced age.

### Trouble Makes World Kin

With the perspective of a few weeks, the most interesting angle of the Japanese earthquake was the promptness with which Chinese rushed help to the Japanese, whom they generally hate.

Shiploads of rice were hurried to Japan from China. In our country the Chinese Merchants association rounded up contributions of many thousands of dollars for Japanese relief.

Trouble makes strange bed-fellows, makes the lion lie down with the lamb. Humanity is in need of a series of natural catastrophes to make people forget their hatreds and co-operate for mutual good.—Shreveport Times

## Buy it in Grapeland

With our present stock of jewelry, beads, necklaces, Soutoirs, etc., to select from, there is no necessity for going out of town to buy.

## Save Money

and at the same time you are patronizing your home town stores.

### NO NEWER CREATIONS SHOWN THIS SIDE OF NEW YORK

Our line of jewelry is new; the prices are much lower than you have to pay in the larger towns and cities for the same class of merchandise.

Buy at home and spend the difference.

## Ryan's Drug Store

Quality, Service and Fair Prices

Prescriptions filled by Registered Pharmacist

### TURNIP GREENS

Phone J. W. Howard's residence for turnip greens. Place your order in afternoon and will deliver next morning.

Mrs. S. E. Howard has gone to Beaumont to visit her daughter, Mrs. B. H. Logan, and from there will go to Lake Charles, La., to visit another daughter, Mrs. Odell Faris.

The many Grapeland friends of Frank Murchison of Sweetwater will be glad to learn that his condition is greatly improved from a recent serious operation and that he is on the road to recover.

Lee Finch and family and Arthur Brooks and family of Alto came in Tuesday to take in the fair and see their many friends.

## Welcome to the Fair

This week is Fair week and we want you to come and make this store your head-quarters. Come and stay with us whether you wish to trade or not. But if you do wish to make any bills we are going to be prepared to supply your every need. New goods arriving every day.

JUST ARRIVED THIS WEEK A BIG SHIPMENT OF

## Children's Shoes

AMONG THEM

## The Famous "Kicker"



FOR SCHOOL WEAR

Also nice dress shoes

WE WILL BUY YOUR COTTON

# KENNEDY BROS.

WHEN DAD was a boy he had to wear hard, stiff boots TODAY his boy or girl is fitted with scientific care DEMAND Red-Goose SHOES The Greatest Shoes Built See 'em at the Fair THE DARSEY COMPANY