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New Blood New Life.

Pure Blood is a guarantee against Disease.
One or two Bottles of good Blood Purifier may save you a spell of sickness.

ROYAL SARSAPARILLA

is guaranteed to do the work. Better take a bottle. It is sure to tone up the Blood and put your system in condition for the long hot summer.

Graham Drug Co.

THE LEADER.

Published Weekly by J. W. Graves.

Subscription \$1.00 a Year.

LITTLE LOCAL LEADERS.

Walter Stewart, now in Fort Worth, said over the phone Tuesday that his brother Willis was getting weaker every hour and that he might be expected at any time.

You can always find everything in the grocery line at Fort Bros.

Episcopal services at the M. E. church next Sunday by Rev. Douglas of Wichita Falls.

Ox Blood

Shoes and Slippers is the newest thing in foot wear. We have them in all sizes, for both ladies and children. Our prices under all.

When in Graham get Ford Bros. prices before buying. No trouble to price goods.

The election for city officers last Tuesday resulted in the election of J. S. Stewart mayor, J. T. Beckham alderman north Ward, G. L. Ayresworth and R. F. Arnold south Ward, J. W. Akin city attorney and Edgar Matthews city secretary.

Bigham & Crain are doing a retail business at wholesale prices. Give them a call.

W. C. Forbes, superintendent of the Weatherford and Mineral Wells railroad, was in Graham this week in the interest of his road.

120 Rubber Tip Pencils for \$1.00. Good enough for anybody.

Let Bigham & Crain have a chance at your trade. They will save you money on every bill you buy.

The citizens of South Bend will have a rabbit drive next Saturday. A big crowd is desired. There will be lots of fun.

WANTED.—On subscription, two or three fair-sized shots. Now is the time to pay your subscription without the cash.

OLNEY, TEX., April 6, 1897.
EDITOR LEADER: Please announce that the entertainment to be given by the literary and school will come off on Thursday, April 15th.

The St. Louis Republic chartered and sent down the Mississippi river a steambot for the purpose of rescuing the flood victims. The steamer picked up a man and his wife the other day who were driven from home by the water and took refuge in a skiff. About 30 minutes after they were taken on board the lady gave birth to a fine baby boy. He was named Republic Hennessy by the happy father. The mother and child are getting along nicely.

A Big Drive

I have for sale 20 head of High Grade Durham Bulls, one year old.

County Surveyor Higgins has his card in THE LEADER this week as a land agent. Parties wishing to buy land would do well to consult him.

It was very interesting community news was unavoidably crowded into this week. We had not room for more.

The War is Now On.

A. R. McDonald & Co. knocked the bottom out of the old Grocery Shop yesterday, and as he began to sink the boys began to sell groceries cheaper than they were ever sold in Graham. The boys from the forks of the creek came in and began to trade, and by night the goods on the lower shelves were nearly all gone.

But to-day we have replaced new goods on our shelves and are offering our customers 7 pounds of any kind of coffee they want for \$1.00. Very good Green Coffee 8 pounds for \$1.00. 8 pounds of Tilled Coffee for 25 cents. Sugar, Standard Granulated 18 pounds for \$1.00; Y. C. 19 pounds for \$1.00. Soda 6 pounds for 25 cents. A big full of Navy Beans for \$1.00.

Our dried fruit and many other things low cheap to advertise. If you have any business in the Justice Court call; we keep the Justice on tap at all hours. We also keep the Mayor of the city in our house, so if you want to plead guilty to any crime you may have committed by buying goods at other places and paying too much for them, come right in; he will assess the punishment and collect the fine with dignity. We guarantee satisfaction. Respectfully,
A. R. McDONALD & CO.

Mrs. E. E. Johnston has received her Spring Stock of Millinery and Dress Goods, and is prepared to fit the ladies out in the latest styles and at prices within the reach of all. Miss Sallie Johnston will have charge of the Millinery department, and her long experience in the business is a guarantee that everything will be done in good style.

Dr. J. W. Galtner left yesterday for Chicago to attend the School of Physicians. He will be gone about a month.

LADIES. Call and see our new Millinery. We make no charge for style and very little for goods. Special hats away down.

Mrs. S. R. Crain left Wednesday on a visit to relatives in Waco and Louisiana.

Ford Bros. is the place to get cheap Groceries—cheapest in the West.

Our debt, R. Graves, has been paying his cotton crop this week.

The greater number that give me paragon the lower will please call on Dr. Graves. Give me a chance at your trade.

Ladies call at Mrs. E. E. Johnston's and see her new hats. They are beauties.

See our dress goods, compare styles and prices with other houses, then come and buy from the Cheapest House in Town.

S. B. STREET & CO.

B. A. Gattin spent Saturday night on Salt Creek.

W. W. Hunter left Tuesday for Collingsworth county.

R. M. Summers and wife visited Mr. Dullins of Indian Mound, who is very sick.

S. R. Jeffrey drove a bunch of cattle to his California pasture last week.

Mrs. J. T. Wilkins of Red Top spent several days on Salt Creek last week.

Miss Annie Summers visited Mrs. Hunter Tuesday.

Mr. John Knight and wife visited their parents Saturday.

Another splendid rain fell Friday night. Surely God is smiling on us.

Mrs. Jason Mayes is spending a few days with her parents and Jason seem quite disconsolate.

C. M. Ben is working at Red Top for a few days.

We wonder if Toodle has found his leggins yet?

Buy your Lumber and Portland Cement from H. N. FROST, the leading Lumber Dealer of Mineral Wells.

Potatoes, Onions and all kinds of seeds at Ford Bros.

Awarded Highest Honors—World's Fair.

DR. PRICES' CREAM BAKING POWDER
MOST PERFECT MADE.
A pure Grape Cream of Tartar Powder. Free from Aluminate, Arsenic or any other adulterant.
40 Years the Standard.

Poverty Soshul.

You and your friends are axed to the house of Mrs. E. J. Ely Friday evening April 16, 1897.

RULES AND REGULATIONS.
1. Every woman that comes must wear a keltier dress and apron or something skelly appropriate and leave their possible-dog to hum.
2. Know your with a billed skirt and don't collar will be allowed to cum unless he pays a fine of 5 cents.
A competent woman will intruce fringes and look after beautiful teltiers.

FINES FOR WOMEN.
No apron 1 cent, kid gloves 2 cents, ear rings plain 1 cent, diamond 2 cents, trimmed apron 3 cents, finger ring 5 cents, glasses 2 cents, ornamental lace pins 3 cents, wal dress 3 cents, new dress 5 cents.

FINES FOR MEN.
Blacked butes 5 cents, segars in pocket 1 cent, watches, not water-bury, 1 cent, shaving gun 1 cent, stand up collar 5 cents, rusest shirt 1 cent, button whole looking 5 cents, makein love or flirting 5 cent.

VITELS.
Bron Bread, Bak-d Beans, Pinks, Koughly, Kake, Barot Milk, They I lost 13 cents, 25 cent for to Mrs. EYARLANTIN CRICKER, Mrs. AWUL POLE, Mrs. POKER TEA, Koomity.

What the People Say.
It is no song or story, but a fact that Matthews, Tidwell & Norman carry the Freshest and most Complete stock of Groceries in town.

And that they pay cash and get a discount on all goods they buy. And the ladies say every thing is delivered in such nice style.

And they say James can get as many goods for a dollars as Smith can. They are strictly a one price house.

Ladies, if you want a nice hat, fitted up in the latest style, at a low price, call on Mrs. E. E. Johnston.

Don't buy your groceries until you get Ford Bros. prices.

The best Staple and Fancy Groceries for the money at Bigham & Crain's.

No sickness in our community now.

Miss Emma Cox is visiting her sister, Mrs. Daniels.

Mr. Adams and wife started for Bowie Sunday to meet their daughter who has been attending the Blind Institute at Austin. So well did Miss Nannie apply herself, that her instructors were willing to promote her without passing the final examination. Hence her early return home.

Rev. Buck Hawkins and wife, Dock Hawkins and wife, of Farmer, attended church at Hawkins Chapel Sunday.

Will Cox and family, Miss Anna Hamilton and W. F. McMillen visited in Jack county last Saturday and Sunday.

Rev. H. B. Whittenberg and son Luther, White Ganaway, J. G. Hawkins started, for Bowie Monday.

W. H. Daniels and C. W. Rasure visited Farmer Saturday.

Rev. Midyett spent Saturday night at Graham.

Wanted, some one to sit up with Walter Ganaway; he is done grubbing.

Too many hard rains is the cry. Some are talking of planting their corn over.

Aunt Alesie and Miss Jennie Hawkins visited at Farmer last week.

A glance through our BIG Store will convince you that we have the largest and prettiest stock in town. You can see things on all sides that you really need, at prices to suit you.

S. B. STREET & CO.
Cheapest House in Town.

The flood on the Mississippi river still continues overwelling the whole country from Cairo to New Orleans. At last accounts the water was still rising and levees breaking. The river is higher than ever known, and the loss of life and property can not be estimated. Thousands of people are homeless and the suffering is very great.

Ford Bros. is the place to get the best and freshest groceries at the lowest prices, and don't you forget it.

S. M. J. Benson, Mrs. John Benson, Miss Sallie Lamon, Miss Mand Case and Misses Mollie and Mand Benson, of Farmer were visiting in Graham Tuesday.

Fresh Goods arriving weekly at the Post Office Drug Store.

Remember that the city election will be held next Tuesday.

County Correspondence.

Bitter Creek.
March 29.—There has been a deal of odd wet weather here and had stands of corn in the general complaint. J. C. Jones is planting over.

Our school will close in another month.

John Norris made a living trip to Graham last week.

Mrs. Beckham and Mrs. Leinous have gone to Graham and Salem on a visit to relatives.

The health of our community was never better.

J. C. Jones has added to the appearance of his residence by giving it a coat of paint.

Uncle Lewis Weaver went to Olney Saturday to make arrangements to have his pension increased.

Mr. Buckley, the sheep man, is visiting a certain place quite often, but he has not made his object public. It may be that he has been reading some of the Proverbs of Solomon and has read something like this: "He receiveth seed and sows it, and worketh willingly with his hands."

Rattlesnakes appear to be numerous here. Quite a number have been killed.

Mrs. Hall visited Mrs. J. C. Jones last Sunday.

We are sorry we have no Sunday School to report.

Miss Lewis Weaver has been visiting again.

A great many farmers have to buy corn to make their crop, but grass is grass here and will help them out very much.

Wheat and oats, look fine, and the fruit crop is not bad.

Mrs. E. E. Johnston has the largest and best selected stock of Millinery and Dress Goods ever brought to Graham, at prices to suit the times.

Business with good—no sickness. Everything is so lovely and beautiful, and the folks are high.

Walter Burdett and his family passed through on the 8th inst. going to Henrietta, Arkansas.

F. I. Miller, D. D. G. M. of the 2nd dist. was visiting the A. F. and A. M. Lodge here this week.

Medames Walker and Harrison was visiting here this week.

Miss Jennie Hawkins spent a pleasant week here with her many friends.

Mrs. Annie Graham of Archer county was visiting J. M. Keen and wife this week.

E. M. Payne made a pleasant call in the "Hub" this week.

Willie Gugg was visiting his grandmother, Mrs. Huber of Hawkins Chapel, this week.

Will Farmer has been seeing after some business near Jackboro.

Miss Etsa Keen is visiting in Archer county this week.

The young people's sociable evening at Mr. Hogan's was a very enjoyable one.

Willie and Edwin Benson have been seeing after their brother's cattle interest this week.

Bill Clark was here doing business this week.

Sam Cowan, of Archer City, passed through here enroute to Eastern Texas.

Dr. Predeaux and daughter, Miss May, made a pleasant call this week.

Charlie Keen says that the mistletoe grows high here. "No, no, Cholly, you did'nt happen to get on the shady side—don't you see?"

Prof. Aynesworth made a trip to Graham this week.

Sebe Benson says he's going to quit the rabbit business—"and going to catch rats!" sure.

Our best wishes to LEADER and readers. WIDE AWAKE.

We are showing more styles in Ladies, Misses and Children's Oxfords than the rest of the town. The goods are as good as anybody's and the price right.

S. B. STREET & CO.
Cheapest House in Town.

Possum Ridge Pointers. We had a fine rain Friday night. Wheat and oats are looking fine. Corn is coming up nicely.

J. W. Taylor is busy taking in new land on his new farm. He says he is going to the coast this summer for his health.

Denver Killion has more business to attend to than any other man on the ridge.

Jim Wood says he would like to find a cook to take charge of his bachelor hall, especially the kitchen

department. He says it don't matter about the color.

Charlie Robinson of Graham has circulated the report on the Ridge since the fight between Corbett and Fitzsimmons, that he will on the 19th of November, fight Fitz for the small sum of \$100,000 at Buzard Roost, backed by Bill Fry of Graham.

Bill Baker has been very busy fencing new land.

Bill Balfour was shaking hands with his old friends on the Ridge last Sunday.

Wm. Wade and wife visited Mrs. Wade's mother on Gages' Creek last Friday.

We are glad to say that Uncle Daniel Messenger's health has improved so that he is able to run his farm alone this year.

Sam Smith and Joe Clark took a trip to Wichita Falls last week.

Col. Tom Cook was on the Ridge last Saturday trading horses.

We are glad to say that Miss Willie Watson's health is improving rapidly.

Abie Rogers has gone to Wichita Falls this week. We missed his pleasant smiles last Sunday.

If this comes the waste basket we will come again.

MUTTON HEAD.

The rich man can't afford to squander money in three light times, while the poor man requires double duty of every dime and penny. Can you afford to pay more for goods than we are selling the some articles for? Get our prices and prove us.

Graham Mercantile Co.

South Bend.

Flooding corn and exterminating the hare is the news of this country.

The Messrs. Scott are leading the procession by having planted cotton several days ago.

Crates are devastating the young corn of some of the farmers. They have been doing immense damage in this section of country.

Last Monday was a big day in the Bend. A rabbit drive was the occasion. School was closed for the event, and the community was out in full, old men and old women, young ladies, boys and children, all ages, all sizes, all shapes and all colors. But result from a rabbit drive is that a rabbit is a rabbit and a rabbit stand point was nothing of it to boast. Two drives were made but only about 40 or 50 rabbits were secured.

There is no doubt, however, but there were several hundred secured to death.

Another drive will be made next Saturday and the writer is authorized to announce through THE LEADER that everybody is invited to assist. This pest is doing untold damage to the crops and gardens now and of course will be worse if the country is not "depopulated" from a hare-like point of view.

The farmers claim they must be annihilated, and sooner the quicker. There will be dinner on the ground and rabbit killing all day, and probably a rabbit barbecue in the evening, depending upon the success of the day's work.

Public school closes here on the 22nd inst.

The High School will probably give an entertainment the next week after the close of school.

Cam Parker was visiting home folks Sunday, also took in the following days sport.

Ford Parker, of Eliasville was also up Monday.

Bob Johnson, of Johnson county a friend of Charlie Rogers, is in the community.

Charlie Rogers and Jim Kellar is "keeping back" upon the Clear Fork, cropping—Jim may not continue this for time indefinite.

Elder Keeter received recently intelligence of the death of his widowed sister-in-law, in Bowie.

The young people had a very pleasant singing at Miss Clara McBrayer's Sunday evening.

The debate next Friday night promises to be of unusual interest. So be it.

The wheat crop in this section is extraordinarily promising at this time.

C. P. Benson was out one day last week and entertained the school a few minutes with his remarkable mind reading. Geo. A. GEE.

Up to Date Millinery.
By yesterday's express we received a big invoice of the latest novel styles of Ladies' Untrimmed Hats, New Sailors Walking Hats, Ribbons, Etc.

J. E. MORRISON & CO.
Our prices under all others.

More Goods for the money—Better Goods for the money, than any house in town.

S. B. STREET & CO.
Cheapest House in Town.

From Eliasville.

The weather is very warm. Corn will soon be ready to plow.

The Clear Fork has been up real high.

I suppose our telephone will soon be completed as we see posts laying all along the line. When the Eliasville people attempt to do anything they do it.

Charlie Smith attended church here Sunday.

Frank and Louis C. say they are getting along fine "keeping back" but would not care if mamma would come home.

Prof. H. went to Breckinridge again Saturday. Some of the pupils say they are going with him next time.

Dillard Davis has stopped school for a week; his father said he needed his assistance in the field. Good-bye our sympathy.

We had our share of the drummers last week.

The citizens of Eliasville are extending the main street to the top of the hill, by taking down the ladder and throwing up a dump.

Jesse McGuire and family left last week for the plains.

What in the world made the boys blush so one day last week when they were told that

Assessor of Stephen county was waiting just in front of our combination school building and wished to see them a few moments. Why boys he did not—he is only my assessor and wanted you to give in your fathers taxes; you must be brave next time or you might fail.

Some of the school boys are crowding the season by wearing their summer coats.

Mr. Aubrey Hammack and Mrs. W. H. Ardis are preparing to celebrate their birthday the 7th inst. Mr. Aubrey has bought the turkey and Mrs. Ardis is going to do the cooking.

Mr. Medlan and wife were in town Thursday shopping.

Mr. Terry Starrett arrived last week from Eastern Texas.

W. F. Stinson is on the sick list. C. D. Yancey is fencing in a new garden.

Some of the Gage Creek people are taking of coming down here to school. We hope they will come.

Some of the boys are still writing April 1st.

The Primitive Baptist preached by pastor Thursday and Friday night. We are going to have a man's latest June.

OTHEL.

The ladies of Graham and surrounding country are cordially invited to call and see our stock of millinery goods. We have any shape you want, and can price it to suit you. We are headquarters for Ladies' Hats.

S. B. STREET & CO.
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Connor Creek.

Everything quiet. Farmers are planting cotton. There was a heavy rain fell here Friday night.

Henry Chapel school closed last Friday. Several from our community attended the exercises that evening.

Misses Ava and Georgia Mathis, Ida Chandler and Mollie Jarnagin attended Conference at Center Ridge.

Misses Ava and Georgia Mathis made a trip to Graham last Friday. Misses Minnie Chandler, Georgia Mathis, Joe Abernathy and Mrs. Mattie Fry spent the day with Mrs. Cogburn Sunday.

Miss Minnie Chandler and Mrs. Mattie Fry went to Graham last Monday.

There is a certain young lady in our community busily engaged in quilting. Does not that look suspicious.

Misses Mollie Jarnagin, Ida Chandler and Ava Mathis spent the day very pleasantly with Mrs. McCasland Sunday.

Mrs. Walker, who has been dangerously ill for the past week, is better this morning.

Eddie Ribble of Ming Bend, was over Sunday.

Ervin Campbell and Edgar Cloot are fond of "Dear," hunting on Rock Creek.

Miss Minnie Birdwell was visiting here Sunday.

Success to THE LEADER.
DAISY BELL.

You can see in our Big Store as pretty and as well selected stock as anywhere—a broad or not, and as far as the prices are concerned, we know they are right. Come and see us.

S. B. STREET & CO.
Cheapest House in Town.

All kinds of Country Produce handled.

AN APOLOGY.

In our last letter to the LEADER we find that we did an injustice to one of our most esteemed citizens, in stating that we had not three medical gentlemen with us. We were not aware of the fact that our friend, Dr. D. Yancy stepped into our sanctum, in a rather excited state, to judge by his actions. In one hand he held a Memorandum in the other a piece of parchment. He demanded an apology. We began at once to apologize and change the muscle of the gun, and after the most object submission on our part, we found that he felt hurt at our not mentioning him in our report of Eliasville doctors. We now say that we have seen the parchment, setting forth in Latin that our well-beloved Dr. D. Yancy was duly qualified in Materia Medica, and signed by Geo. Washington as president of the faculty. We think the Dr. made a bad error counting the way he did as if he had brought the parchment without the parchment or the parchment without the parchment, we would have apologized at the same to a man of his Eminence like proportions, for surely we are a man of power when we look at him.

Our only regret concerning a grateful act when they approached Yon Dorendick, our commissioner. He has had a full force of men and teams at work all week.

We are having a good many business changes here. S. H. Harris is going to add a dry goods department to his store, Fred A. Robinson has moved his hardware, Dr. Price is now receiving a stock of groceries and dry goods, R. E. McLanney is taking in dry goods and hardware, and J. E. Martin & Co. have opened a fine brick millinery shop and put in charge of competent hands, and it is whispered they contemplate building a new mill here. YACON, on with the loom.

If you need anything in the Millinery or Dress Goods line, see Mrs. E. E. Johnston before buying. Her goods are all first class and

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Entered at the postoffice at Graham, Texas, as second class mail matter.

TERMS: One year, \$1.00; six months, .50; three months, .25.

From one to 5 bottles of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People will cure any case of Rheumatism.

Astor's income is \$300,000 a year. Our is—but we are modest and will keep the starting figures to ourselves.

During 1896 twenty million dollars worth of chewing gum was consumed in this country.

When a man knows that a girl will accept him the first time he proposes, it takes half the pleasure out of it.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve. The best Salve in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Chaps, Itch, Burns, Scalds, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions.

When a man knows that a girl will accept him the first time he proposes, it takes half the pleasure out of it.

The greater New York charter bill passed the senate.

Charles Elliot, son of Harvard's president is dead.

Considerable anti trust legislation has been passed by the New York legislature.

Don't Tobacco and Smoke Your Life Away. To quit smoking easily and forever use Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People.

The effort to reorganize the populist party is really an attempt to prevent the triumph of silver.

The country is notified in advance that democracy is opposed to high tariff policies.

And all diseases that come to this great health resort, such as Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Lumbago, Nervous Head, Liver, Kidney and Stomach Complaints.

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Storm in Arkansas.

Little Rock Ark., April 3.—This has been a day of incessant rain, with repeated storms of violence.

The relief committee of the board of trade at its meeting to-day received subscriptions to the fund from various parts of the state.

An appeal for succor from upwards of 500 sufferers in the Indian Bay country, where 25,000 acres already under water.

Try Electricians as a remedy for your troubles. It will get a better and safer relief.

There is Nothing So Good. There is nothing so good as Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds.

Did You Ever. Try Electricians as a remedy for your troubles. It will get a better and safer relief.

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How happy a man on a farm ought to be. If some of them would come to town and live out of a paper bag for a while they would go back to the farm with new energy.

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This Was in Atlanta.

The newly arrived stranger in Atlanta started up Whitehall street in search of information.

"My good sir," said the stranger "I am in search of information concerning this great state of Georgia and feel sure you can assist me materially.

"What kind of school system have you here?" "Dunno."

"How about your tax rate?" "Dunno."

"Is your government friendly or unfriendly to manufacturing corporations?" "Dunno."

"Let's see—how does Georgia rank among the other states of the South in its agricultural products?" "Dunno."

"What do you do?" "Oh, I'm just a member of the legislature."

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Planning Populists.

The populists in Congress are busy laying plans for their party's future and almost daily informal conferences occur at the capitol.

The leading members of the party are considerably concerned about the report that the middle-of-the-roaders, so called, are to undertake to have a national conference of the leaders of the populist conference sometime during the coming summer.

Representative Bell of Colorado said: "The republican leaders who were so active in supporting the middle-of-the-road national ticket last fall are, I think, back of the present effort to secure a national convention or conference. There is no occasion for such a convention at this time."

Representative Jerry Simpson of Kansas said: "For myself, I have always had the opinion of the lady delegate from Colorado who addressed our national convention in St. Louis last summer. She said: 'When the issue is between McKinley and Bryan, there is no middle of the road.'"

Senator Stewart of Nevada stated that the populists had made arrangements to flood the country with party literature and that the organization would soon be in a position to supply all its newspapers throughout the country with literature at first hands which would be very helpful in continuing the present organization and generally promote the fire silver cause.

Hundreds of men drowned. Yesterday morning the plows were running in the fields adjacent to Shaws. Twenty-four hours later boats were running through the main business street of the town, and the fields are from four to six feet under water.

Nashville, Tenn., April 3.—The Cumberland river is rising, the gauge now marking 25 feet, and without more rain it is believed a foot will be added.

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