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NEW RESOLUTIONS FOR 1913

The Dependon Store

We have resolved to become more progressive than any store in Young County.

- 1st. In buying nothing but the very best quality merchandise—the Dependon.
- 2d. In buying nothing but the latest styles, weaves and shades.
- 3d. In guarding your interests more closely.
- 4th. In giving you better service than ever before.
- 5th. In giving you more Dry Goods, Shoes, Clothing, Hats, and little novelties for your money than you can get elsewhere.

WHAT NEW RESOLUTIONS HAVE YOU MADE FOR 1913?

Are you satisfied with your past Dry Goods purchases? Are you satisfied with just anything you are offered? Wouldn't you be better satisfied with better qualities, better styles, and better prices? Have you ever worn Red Seal and York Gingham? It doesn't take any more buttons, thread and time to make them up than ordinary gingham. Have you ever worn American Gentleman, American Lady, and Security Shoes? They cost no more than cheaper shoes.



Have you worn the Fashionia Corsets—the perfect-fitting Corsets? Have you worn the Lyon Special Hats—the longest wearing, the most comfortable, and the best styles? Have you worn the all-wool Stadium Suits—hand-made by expert clothing makers, which gives you the assurance of the latest styles, haircloth fronts?

We would suggest to you to make one new resolution for 1913, if no more, and let that one be: Resolved, that I am going to buy my Dry Goods and all accessories this year at the Dependon Store, where I take no chances in QUALITIES, STYLES and PRICES.

R. F. SHORT & CO.

THE DEPENDON STORE

THE PRICE IS THE THING

Watch this space for new arrivals for Spring



PLANT MAKES IMPROVEMENTS

EXTRA LARGE DYNAMO INSTALLED IN NEW BUILDING—THE NEW MACHINERY STARTED LAST NIGHT

Messrs. Babb & Walker, proprietors of the Graham Light and Supply Co., received last Monday their large dynamo which has been ordered since last November, and installed it in their new building yesterday. The new generator will produce electricity sufficient for 3250 lights. The engine is of one-hundred horsepower, which is sufficient to pull the dynamo regularly, thereby giving an even and true light at all times. Graham now has a light plant that every citizen of the town should feel a pride in. The new building which is located at the foot of the west mountain and south of the depot, near the business section of the town is built principally of iron and concrete, so there is but little danger of it burning, and it is large enough for the plant. Everything in the new plant is new, nothing from the old plant being used. The new machinery made its initial run last night and everything seemed satisfactory.

Loss Left Eye.

Jim Dowdle, who is working in the mines at Globe, Arizona, recently had the misfortune to lose his left eye. In a letter to his brother, Sam, here, he stated that the accident occurred about three weeks ago and that he is able to resume his work. In the letter Mr. Dowdle stated that his eye was knocked out by a piece of steel and that he suffered so intensely that he could not sleep for fifteen days. Jim Dowdle was reared here and has many friends over the county who will regret to learn of his unfortunate accident.

Graves-Wells.

John Graves, of this city, and Miss Winnie Wells were married at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Wells, in Jacksboro, last Sunday evening at 7 o'clock. Immediately after the ceremony the happy young couple departed on the 8 o'clock train for Graham. The bride is one of Jacksboro's fairest young ladies, and is held in the highest esteem by her home people.

The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Graves, of this city, and has for some time been connected with his father here in the grocery business. He is one of our most popular young business men. We join their many friends in wishing them a life of happiness and prosperity.

Recital of Music.

On last Friday night, January 24, the pupils of Miss Ruth Isaacs gave a recital at the High School auditorium. It was attended by a large crowd of our music loving citizens, and, although there was a great deal of sickness in town at the time, there were not enough seats in the large room to accommodate the people, many having to stand during the rendition of the entire program. The recital was in every way a decided success, each number being well rendered and showing the careful and painstaking work of Miss Isaacs, the teacher, and reflecting great credit upon her.

1787 Poll Taxes Paid.

Up to 4 o'clock yesterday evening Tax Collector J. E. Parsons had issued 1787 poll tax receipts. This is considerably short of what was paid at this time last year and as there are only two more days left in which these taxes can be paid, it looks very much like our voting strength will be short this year.

Boob Furr purchased last week, through the Young County Abstract Company, 546 acres of the R. A. Reynolds estate.

History Begins Next Month.

The History of Young County, which is to run as a serial story in The Leader, will start with the issue of February 20. The history, which begins before the organization of the county and continues up to the present day will run through several months, and it is quite important, as in most other histories, that the beginning chapter be read in order that the entire story may be fully understood and appreciated. Every person should know the history of their home county and surrounding country and we sincerely hope every man, woman and child in this section of the country will not fail to read every word in it. We expect to print a number of extra copies each week in order that we may be able to supply back numbers and in cases where the paper fails to reach the subscriber we can supply them with the missing chapter. Some of our readers expect to bind the copies of The Leader containing the history, while others will cut it out and paste it in a scrap book. Either way is good and we hope that many of our readers will preserve the History of Young County which begins in the issue of February 20, 1913.

P. Gideon and family visited relatives in the Lone Oak community Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Belle Beckham returned Monday night from a visit in Marietta, Oklahoma. She will spend a few days here and then go to California to visit relatives.

A. M. Bowen called yesterday and renewed The Leader for himself and for J. C. Smyers at Miami, Texas. Mrs. Bowen, he informed us, has been sick for the past week.

Marion Burkett returned Saturday to the A. & M. College at College Station. The meningitis scare down there has subsided and the pupils have most all returned and taken up their studies.

GREAT KAFFIR MILO SPECIAL

AGRICULTURAL TRAIN TO BE IN GRAHAM FROM 9 TO 10 O'CLOCK NEXT THURSDAY MORNING

The Great Rock Island Kaffir-Milo Special Train, with its agricultural exhibits and expert lecturers, will be in Graham next Thursday, February 6, from 9 to 10 o'clock. Everything, of course, is free to those who come. The train is sent out for the purpose of assisting the farmers all along the Rock Island lines to make and produce better crops. Every farmer in this section of the state should see through this train and hear the lectures; they certainly can lose nothing and the chances for gain are on their side. If they can show that Kaffir corn is the feed crop for this country and prove it, they should be given the opportunity.

Kaffir corn has been the salvation of Oklahoma and the Rock Island Special was the thing that caused the people there to adopt it as a feed crop. We have merely experimented with Kaffir corn in this country and know but little about it, but a number of our farmers are already convinced that it is the feed crop for this country and plant some every year. These experts will tell how to raise it successfully. Besides the regular agricultural lectures there will be a man on the train who will tell all about silos—how they should be built, the benefit farmers and stockmen can derive from them, etc. There is a great deal to learn about farming in this country and these people will tell us many things that will be of great benefit to us.

G. D. James has moved from out on Route 2 to Orth, and orders The Leader to follow him.

Pleasant Evening's Outing.

Last Saturday evening Miss Miller took the boys in her physical culture class out to Devil's Canyon to spend an outing. The party left town at 2 o'clock and returned at 9:30 o'clock. The time was spent in climbing around over the rocks and exploring the wilds.

At supper time many fingers were burnt in trying to broil bacon over the fire, but despite this fact the meal was greatly enjoyed by all. After supper the crowd was entertained by great stories told by members of the party.

Those who composed the party were Miss Miller, J. C. and Byron Rickman, Hardy Price, Silas Jeffery, Wallace and Bud Price, Gaston Hallam and Lloyd Fisher.

Accident at Oil Mill.

W. G. Goldston happened to a serious accident at the Graham Oil Mill last Tuesday about 12 o'clock which came near costing him his right hand and will likely make him a cripple for life. He was unloading cotton seed and in some way got his right hand caught in the conveyor. The bones were all badly crushed, the leaders in the back of the hand were cut and the skin was torn completely loose and laid back on the wrist. He was brought to town and a physician dressed the wound, after which he was carried home.

Another Fire at Olney.

The J. D. Gilfillan residence at Olney was destroyed by fire shortly after 7 o'clock last Saturday night. The building was occupied by the family of Will Simmons.

Mr. Gilfillan is now in Washington.

A. J. Wheat, one of Young county's leading farmers, was here last Thursday from his home near Loving. He had recently happened to the ill luck of breaking his typewriter by letting it fall from a stand, and was looking for repairs for the machine.

At Opera House Next Week.

Angell's Comedians will be here all next week and will put on a new play at the opera house every night. The show going people of Graham know this company well; it is one of the oldest on the road and has played here before. Angell's Comedians put on nothing but the very latest plays; every member of the company is a born actor, and they always give the very best of the best to their audiences. This company plays only on a guarantee, and the Manager of the Graham Opera House has risked a great deal to get them here. But he knows the people of Graham want the best and will give the Angell's Comedians a packed house every night, and he feels no uneasiness over the patronage that will be given them.

Tickets will be on sale at Vaughan's Jewelry Store after next Monday morning.

Mrs. R. V. Tidwell has been dangerously ill for the past week, and as we go to press, her condition is reported to be no better. A trained nurse from Fort Worth has been with her since Tuesday night.

L. P. Brooks, one of the leading citizens of the Mount Pleasant community, was in town on business last Monday. He expects to leave some time next week on a visit to his son, Preston Brooks, in Old Mexico.

Friends of Miss Gracie Lichts will be glad to know she has sufficiently recovered to be removed from the hospital. While still under the doctor's treatment, she was able to talk with Mr. Pohlman over the phone on Sunday.

Dr. and Mrs. L. W. Price and little daughter left last Thursday morning for Waco and returned Saturday night. They have decided not to move away for the present, and we hope they can be persuaded to reconsider, and remain in Graham.



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Any erroneous reflection upon the character, standing or reputation of any person, firm or corporation which may appear in the columns of the Leader, will be gladly corrected upon its being brought to the attention of the publisher.

As far as the importance of the position is concerned regarding the United States senatorialship that is now before the Legislature of Texas, it amounts to but little, but as we see it Governor Colquitt showed a prejudice streak when he appointed Johnson to fill the unexpired term caused by the resignation of Senator Bailey. It is not likely that Mr. Johnson would have an opportunity during his short administration to do anything good or bad for Texas, but it is positively known—and he does not deny the fact himself—that he is a non-progressive. Senator Sheppard was not elected upon such a ticket. In fact he was elected upon the progressive ticket and a full knowledge to all of how he stood in reference to the prohibition question. He received an overwhelming plurality vote from the Texas voters. There is not the least question but what he was their choice and in face of all this, Governor Colquitt appointed a man who was directly opposite in views to that of Morris Sheppard. And there is absolutely no excuse for him committing such a deed. He was fully aware of these situations, and in spite of them his actions were as much as to slap the voters of Texas in the face and declare that he was not willing to

abide by the decision they had made at the last primary. If Sheppard had expressed a desire to have stayed out of the Senate until next March it would have been an entirely different matter but Colquitt knew that he would accept the place if appointed and his actions in not appointing Sheppard certainly shows that he carries in his vein a prejudice streak that ought not to exist in a man who is big enough to fill the governor's chair of the greatest state in the Union. It was a time when political views should not have entered into the matter, for the political side of the matter had already been settled by the votes.

There is no doubt but what Morris Sheppard has made a political mistake when he asked the Legislature of Texas to elect him to fill out the unexpired term of Joe Bailey. Of course he realized that a bit of prejudice had been operated against him in the appointment of Johnson, but it would have showed him to be a bigger man had he taken the consequences as they came and have let the people judge for themselves as to what would have been the proper thing for the governor to have done under the existing conditions. It is true that he would have had a better chance, under the old time seniority rules of Congress, to have been placed on some very important committees that might have been of some worth to our State had he been appointed instead of Johnson. But to have raised a kick about the matter was only to bring back unpleasant memories of the past campaign and cause untold criticisms. There is not the least doubt but what his actions would have been of more political worth to him had he only submitted to the things the Governor did and let the rank and file see and judge for themselves.—The Paducah Post.

ON KAFFIR MILO SPECIAL

REPRESENTATIVE OF TEXAS INDUSTRIAL CONGRESS WILL URGE FARMERS TO PLANT MORE KAFFIR AND MAIZE

The Texas Industrial Congress will have a representative on board the Rock Island, "Kaffir Corn and Milo Maize Special"

which leaves Fort Worth February 4, for a tour of the Rock Island lines of Texas. Application blanks for the great \$10,000 contest of the Congress will be distributed and special attention will be given to the two classes of the contest which call for the cultivation of kaffir corn and milo maize. \$2,000 will be awarded exclusively for these crops, and the contestants are required to cultivate only two acres.

The prizes for kaffir corn and milo maize are divided into two classes, one for irrigated and the other for non-irrigated crops. \$1,000 is offered in each class as follows:

First prize, \$300; second prize \$200; and ten prizes of \$50 each.

In the 1912 contest the first prize of \$300 for the non-irrigated crop was won by W. J. Levens, of Roby, Fisher county on a yield of 158.51 bushels at a net profit of 49.05. The second prize of \$200 was won in Fayette county by Raymond Baca, of Fayetteville. His yield was 157.1 bushels produced at a profit of \$48.49.

In the irrigated class Mr. C. D. Newberry, of Eagle Pass, Maverick county won the first prize of \$300 on a yield of 168.68 bushels at a profit of \$52.21; and J. L. Norris, of Ricardo, Nueces county, won the second prize of \$200 on a yield of 130.43 bushels at a profit of \$36.17.

The Congress has this to say of the cultivation of kaffir corn and milo maize:

"The farmers of every section of the state are advised to raise some of the kaffir corn and milo maize. These plants are of the sorghum family and are drought-resistant. They will wait for the rain and grow and mature when it comes, while the corn in times of drouth will die. As food for all kinds of stock, in both grain and forage, kaffir and milo are fully as valuable as corn. Instead of planting corn, only, the Congress suggests to farmers everywhere that a fourth of their corn land should be planted in these crops as an insurance against drouth. When the farmers raise more grain and forage crops they will feed more live stock of all kinds, and the surest basis of successful farming is live stock."

The Kaffir Corn Special train will reach Graham, Texas, at 9:00 A. M., February 6, 1913.

A Girls Wild Midnight Ride. To warn people of a fearful forest fire in the Catskills a young girl rode horseback at midnight and saved many lives. Her deed was glorious but lives are often saved by Dr. King's New Discovery in curing lung trouble, coughs and colds, which might have ended in consumption or pneumonia. "It cured me of a dreadful cough and lung disease," writes W. R. Patterson, Wellington, Tex., "after four in our family had died with consumption, and I gained 87 pounds." Nothing so sure and safe for all throat and lung troubles. Price 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free. Guaranteed by all druggists. (Advertisement.)

Fortune sometimes takes a turn when despair is darkest. Keep on boosting.

Untrained minds and misdirected efforts are keeping lots of would be cities in the village class.

The paramount issue with a commercial organization should be the needs of the city in which it is located.

Skeleton Found
Some trappers, who have been camped near the east end of the bridge across the Brazos, reported Monday week that they had found the skeleton of a human being about five miles west of the city. Parties going out to the scene of the find Monday, found the skeleton as reported and the skull was brought in and is now on exhibition at the First State Bank.

The skeleton was found in a reclining position near a big rock on Man Johnson's place, where the battle known as the "Elm Creek Raid" was fought on the 13th of October 1864.

Henry Williams, of this city, who was a youngster eight years of age, at that time, tells the following story of the raid.

"I suppose it was about nine o'clock in the morning of Oct. 13th 1864, when Dr. T. J. Wilson, Tom Hamby and his son Thornton brought word to our home that the 'Indians' were out. Mother took us kids and hiked for the brush, and we along with several neighbor women and children were hid out in the timber about three miles from the battle ground. In the fight that started at noon, and was waged till sun down, there were three bands of Indians, under old Satanta, Satanta and Big Tree and opposed to them were only a hand full of settlers and a few Texas rangers. Over thirty Indians took the long trip to the happy hunting ground that day and 'Doc' Wilson and Tom Hamby were both killed, along with George Bragg and five rangers. Old Man McCoy and Joel Myers were also killed in the fight and 'Nigger' Britt and family were captured by the red skins. I don't like an Indian very much and I get mad every time I think of that day. Come in here a minute and I'll show you a peace medal given to one of the big chiefs in 1817 by President Monroe. I found it at our house the day after the battle, the Indians having paid us a visit in our absence, taking everything in sight. It was doubtless the property of the 'Big Chiefs'."

A look at the medal owned by Mr. Williams is worth going a long distance to see and if the scribble can talk his friend into the notion—and I'm some talker—I will have it electroplated and run it in a special feature issue at some early date.—Newcastle Register.

The Labor Question.
Jones can mow a field in 4 days, and Smith can mow it in 6 days. How long will it take Jones to finish the work after they have both worked together one day? You will not be pleasing yourself under any obligations whatever by writing for free solution of this problem.

Is your pocket full of money all the time? With the cost of living going up and the wages of the untrained man going down, with competition getting keener every day, and with the time coming when there will be nothing coming in—with all these conditions staring you in the face, it's up to you to decide quickly whether you are going to be a success or a failure. The Bowie Commercial College will help you to turn your ideas into cash, to make friends with success and bid farewell to failure. It's simply a matter of making your brain work instead of your body. Head work is the kind that pays. Write us before you go to bed tonight.

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Young County Camp of Confederate Veterans will meet at the court house on the first Sunday in February at 2:30 P. M.

Rev. G. B. Hall, pastor of the Presbyterian church will deliver an address to the Veterans at this meeting.

The Daughters of the Confederacy and the public at large are cordially invited to attend.

F. Herron, Adjt.

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Laredo.—The Young Men's Booster Club, with 80 members has been organized here.

Plainview.—More than five hundred fine fowls were on exhibition here at one time during the poultry show just closed.

Angleton.—The contractors have begun work on the excavations for the foundations for concrete buildings to be used for the Prince department store.

Freeport.—Freeport Facts is the name of a new weekly paper recently started at Freeport by T. H. Bell, who is also publisher of the Comanche Chief.

When you want a reliable medicine for a cough or cold take Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It can always be depended upon and is pleasant and safe to take. For sale by Sloan Drug Co. (Adv.)

Rosenberg.—The Rosenberg creamery is nearing completion and expects to be ready for business by spring, when the products of 350 jersey cows will be utilized.

Nacogdoches.—The Southwestern Telegraph & Telephone Co. have acquired the local telephone exchange from E. A. Blount. Many improvements in the system are planned.

If your children are subject to attacks of croup, watch for the first symptom, hoarseness. Give Chamberlain's Cough Remedy as soon as the child becomes hoarse and the attack may be warded off. For sale by Sloan Drug Co. (Adv.)

Bay City.—What is said to be the largest land deal ever made in this county was made recently when the Moore-Curtis land comprising 2,500 acres was purchased by W. A. Barclay, of Burlington, for \$250,000.

Constable's Sale.

State of Texas, County of Young.

By virtue of an order of sale issued out of the Honorable District Court of Young County, on the 14th day of January, 1913, by the Clerk thereof, in the case of S. R. Crawford versus Mrs. S. B. Mayo et al., No 1399, and to me, as Constable, directed and delivered, I will proceed to sell, within the hours prescribed by law for Constable's Sales, on the 4th day of March 1913, it being the first Tuesday in said month, at the court house door at Graham, Texas, in said county, the following described property, to-wit:

Situated in Young County, Texas, and being 57 1-2 acres of land out of the N. W. corner of T. E. & L. Co. survey No. 1981. Beginning at the N. W. corner of said survey No. 1981, thence south 525 vrs. a stake in the west boundary line of said survey, which is also the N. E. corner of the William Tiffany subdivision of T. E. & L. Co. survey No. 1981. Thence east 621 vrs. a stake. Thence north 525 vrs. a stake. Thence west 621 vrs. a stake. Thence the place of beginning. Levied on as the property of Mrs. S. B. Mayo, E. A. Harrison and J. W. Tatum, to satisfy a judgment amounting to \$172.16, in favor of S. R. Crawford and costs of suit.

Given under my hand, this 16th day of January, 1913.

S. W. Lane, Constable, Precinct No. 1, Young Co., Texas.

Avalon.—The First State Bank of Avalon, with an capital stock of \$10,000 will soon open for business, a charter having been applied for. A. W. Miller has been elected president.

Greenville.—The Texas Swine-Breeders mid-winter meeting will be held in this city February 25 and 26. The executive committee of this association, has secured the services of up-to-date and well informed speakers, and every farmer and stockman that attends this meeting will be greatly benefited.

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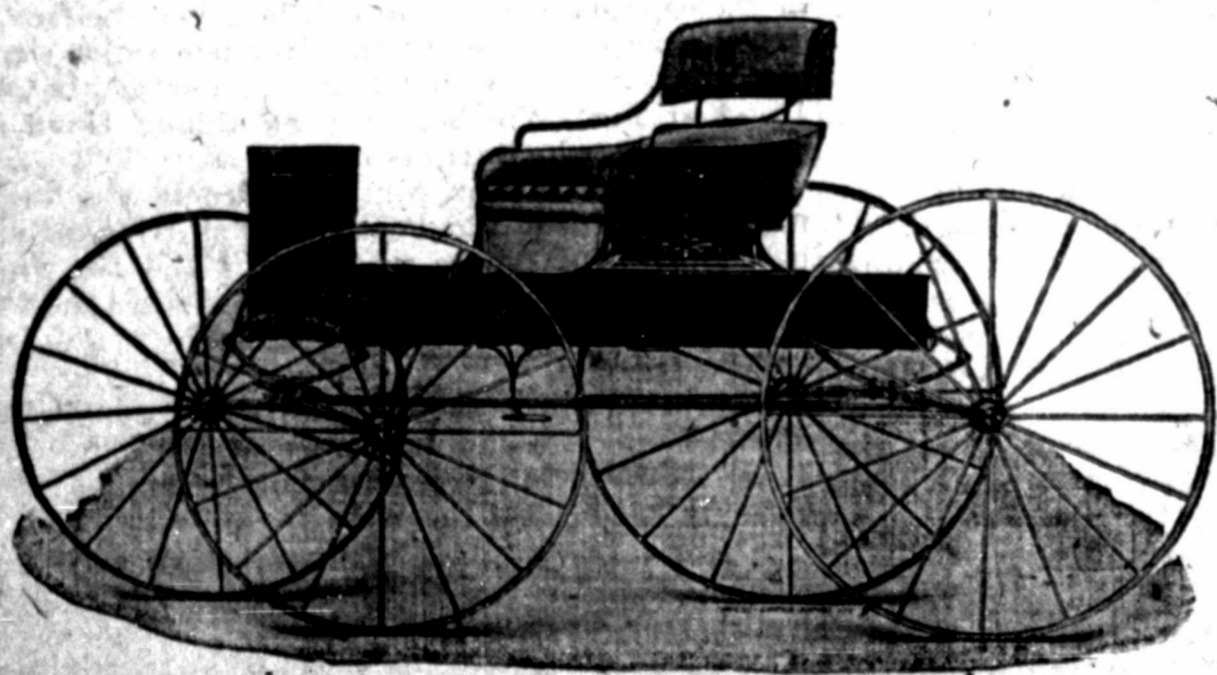


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Our Religious Column

Sunday Services.

On January 26th the weather was only moderately good, but attendance at services was better. The Presbyterians had 118 at Sunday school with an offering of \$5.06. Rev. Hall's morning text was Romans 12, 1 and 2. He opened with a discussion of worldliness including Pharisaism, then spoke of sacrifice. God demands an offering, always the best, and will not have anything between Him and His own. The text is a "living sacrifice." God's mercy gave us His choicest jewel. We may have to sacrifice will or opinion. We should do nothing as God's children to bring reproach upon His church. Inconsistency of members is keeping the great majority of people out of the church. We should sacrifice our whole life. Let's put down any evil of which we are guilty and overcome indifference. The special music was, "Reapers Are Needed," by the choir. The closing hymn was omitted and Elder McPhail was called on to give some remarks on tithing from his twelve years' experience, as he was absent when the subject was discussed. This he did briefly and convincingly. The evening texts were Isaiah 6:3 and Revelations 4:8. It was a treatise on the holiness of God, showing how our rightness is as "filthy rags" in comparison and our sins the more heinous. We are cleansed by His blood. We should cultivate the virtues, hate all evil and strive to imitate Him. Before we can be filled with the Spirit we must be emptied of self. The special music was a sweet gospel duet by Miss Akin and Mrs. Rose, "May I Be Faithful." The Endeavor held a helpful meeting led by Mr. Jones. "He Will Not Forsake You" was effectively sung by Miss Akin and J. W. Akin, Jr.

The Methodists had a very fine Sunday School and a good congregation at the morning service. The pastor preached from Eph. 2:6, "And hath raised us up together, and made us sit together in Heavenly places in Christ Jesus." The two main thoughts suggested by the text were discussed: First the union as believers one with the other, and second, the union with Christ. The text at night was "Occupy 'til I come," from the parable of the Pounds.

The Baptist had 212 at Sunday school, 57 Bibles and \$22.93 offering. The morning text was Proverbs 13:15. The pastor gave two main reasons why the way of the transgressor is hard. First always with us and is harder to kill than affections, sensibilities or will; second, because of the retributive justice of God, and His punishment which is sure. Many examples of this are found in the Scriptures, Adam and Eve, Cain, David and Saul. The other side of the picture was shown by the opposite text, "All her ways are pleasantness and all her paths are peace."

The evening lesson was 1 King 19:1-18. The text was "But Jehovah was not in the fire and after the fire a still small voice," and the theme was, "How God enters the soul." He does not come in through nature especially in its sterner aspects, neither does he come through morality, church membership or the observance of religious ceremonies. Only by the still small voice does He speak to us even as He spoke to Elijah after the fire, the wind and the earthquake had passed. The B. Y. P. U. had a very interesting and instructive lesson on Home Missions, led by Mrs. J. T. Rickman. Mrs. Hattie P. Miller was welcomed into the church at the morning service.

The Christian church had 100 at Bible school with \$2.20 offering. The morning discourse was on the very important subject of "Christian Education." The Bible teaches that God always does His work through the instrumentality of man, but man cannot do this work until he is educated to it. The long wanderings of the Israelites in the wilderness was for the purpose of training them in the law of God. Only those who were so trained were allowed to enter the land of Canaan. The great commission of our Lord to "go and teach all nations" was the climax in the rev-

elation of God. For the giving of this commission God was preparing through all the ages. The personal work of Christ here on earth, culminating in His death, burial and resurrection, was preparatory to the giving of the great commission. The carrying out of this commission is the duty of every christian man and woman. For this God has called us unto His kingdom. We have been saved that we may labor together with God. We should so consecrate our lives to God's service that we will carry on the various kinds of business in which we are engaged for the sake of being able to help in carrying out the great commission of Christ. The practical thought brought home to each individual was that he must prepare for service and daily serve as the cause of Christ and the spread of the gospel can not properly be carried on without the help of each christian. The subject of the evening sermon was "The Power of Thought." This was founded on Prov. 23:7, "For as he thinketh within himself, so is he." Through various and striking illustrations was developed the fact that thoughts are the parents of deeds. Modern improvements, the achievements of science and all the great events of the world have had their beginning in thought. In fact the world and man himself once existed only in thought. As any line of thought molds character and character bears the fruit of deeds it is imperative that thoughts be of the right kind. The world has received manifold and wonderful blessings through the thoughts of God and those who emulate him, but the reverse may be true. Thoughts may be as fatal as crime, as they are often the direct channels that lead to crime. So to be great we must think great thoughts. We must think with Christ. Very clearly was shown the wisdom of conforming our minds to the master mind, especially as our thoughts have to do, not only with our happiness and usefulness, but also with our eternal welfare.

Medal Contest.

Department of W. C. T. U. It is a pleasure to announce that Miss Lucile Miller has taken the superintendency of the Medal Contest and will soon hold some interesting contests.

The first is the Matrons Medal contest and will be held February 21. The program will be published in the next issue of the paper.

The second will be for the young men's oratorical class. The medal for which will be put on display very soon.

These contests are very instructive and we hope for the best of results.

Mrs. J. W. Akin.

Ladies Aid Society.

The Ladies Aid Society of the Christian church met on Monday afternoon, January 27th, with Mrs. Mance Birdwell.

Eighteen members responded to roll call with a verse of Scripture containing the word abide. The meeting opened with a song and a prayer led by Mrs. Isaacs. The lesson was the life of Noah under the leadership of Mrs. Isaacs and the lesson was made quite interesting.

On Monday, February 3, the Society will meet at the church and the lesson will be a Missionary lesson, led by Mrs. Stallings and Mrs. Alma Martin. "Abode" will be the key word for roll call response.

This will also be the day to pay dues.

Notice of Dissolution.

Graham, Texas, 1-18-13. The partnership heretofore existing between W. I. Tidwell and R. L. Reed, under the firm name of R. L. Reed & Co., has this day been dissolved by mutual consent, R. L. Reed buying interest of W. I. Tidwell.

R. L. Reed will continue business under the firm name of R. L. Reed & Co., and will pay all legitimate debts and collect all outstanding notes, accounts, etc., of the old firm.

Thanking the public for their patronage during the past.

R. L. Reed.

W. I. Tidwell.

Each member of your family, man, woman, boy or girl, can vote in this contest, and has an equal chance at winning the prize.

The committee of three, which is to count the votes and award the prize, is to be composed of people who live in the country, and they are to be selected, one each from three different directions from Graham.

The time to vote is RIGHT NOW. The ballot boxes and tickets are ready—pick your choice and have your family and your friends vote.

CAN YOU NAME GRAHAM'S NEXT POSTMASTER?

IF YOU DO YOU WILL BE GIVEN A THREE DAYS FREE TRIP TO THE FAT STOCK SHOW AT FORT WORTH OR TO THE DALLAS FAIR

The expense for printing this advertisement, and the further expense of the free trip to the Fat Stock Show or the Dallas Fair, is to be paid by one whose name is in the list of applicants given below, and who is of the opinion that the people who get mail at or through the Graham Postoffice should have a chance to express their wishes as to who should become Postmaster at Graham.

The readers of this advertisement are left to judge as to which one of the applicants whose name is in the list below is the one who is willing to assume the expense of this advertisement and the trip and solicit the vote of the people, and abide by the voice of those who get their mail through the Graham Postoffice.

It will be noticed that some of the names that were in the list last week are not included in it now. They were dropped from the list by order of the persons themselves, and such an action by parties who who are positively known to be trying to get the place would seem to be very strong evidence that they do not care to test their popularity with the people, but who rather rely on a POLITICAL PULL.

This is a special appeal to the country people to assert their rights and help select a Postmaster for Graham, and not to leave the matter to a small clique of Graham politicians.

Question—Who should be the Postmaster at Graham, Texas?

Answer—Some one who has all the qualifications necessary to make an acceptable Postmaster to all the patrons of the office.

Question—What are a few of the prime requisites necessary to make a desirable Postmaster?

First: An education sufficient to render one intellectually able to personally keep the accounts and records of the office, and to supervise the work of any and all helpers and assistants.

Second: A manner that is naturally gracious, kind and accommodating; with sufficient force of character to compel the confidence and respect of all.

Third: A personality that is mentally, morally, intellectually and physically able to direct the affairs of the office, to the entire satisfaction of the Postoffice Department, and to the comfort and convenience of the patrons of the Graham Postoffice.

Question—Who can legitimately aspire to secure the appointment?

Answer—Any one who possesses the qualifications enumerated above.

Question—Who should have preference when the appointment is made?

Answer—Without fear of contradiction, it is safe to say that the majority of the patrons of the Graham Postoffice will agree that the one who should have preference, the proper one for the place, would be the one who has shown by daily contact with the public that all of the above enumerated qualifications are abundantly possessed by the aspirant.

Question—Who should have some voice in helping select the one who shall be appointed Postmaster at Graham?

Answer—Any one, man, woman, boy, or girl, who receives mail at the Graham Postoffice in their own name.

The following are the names of those whom the writer has heard mentioned as candidates for the office of Postmaster.

Should there be any aspirants for the place whose names are not included in the list, the omission of such name or names is due entirely to the writer's failure to know of such; and if any appear who are not aspiring, it is because the writer has been misinformed.

Mrs. M. L. Manning.
Mrs. Jonas Ely.
F. M. Burkett.
B. B. Garrett.
W. T. McFerren.
E. E. Hall.
Jas. T. Vaughan.
L. P. Brooks.
Blakey Gallaher.
Henry G. Arnold.
N. S. Farmer.
R. Lindsey.

Everybody knows that there are a few POLITICAL WIRE PULLERS in every community, who put on a very wise look and try to carry the idea that they are in very close touch with the leading men of the party, and that they should, and can, and will, name the proper one to be made Postmaster when the time arrives.

The majority of the American people resent such an assumption.

In order to get an expression from all of the patrons of the Graham Postoffice, men, women, boys and girls, whether in town or in the country, or on the rural routes, the following proposition is made:

Christian Endeavor Day.

February 2, 1913.

Subject.—C. E. Principles and how to uphold them.

Leader.—C. P. Hutchison.

Time.—6:15 P. M.

Song.

Bible dialogue.

Silent prayer for evening services of Christian Endeavor and preaching.

Song.

Leader's talk.

Prayer for strong christians of principle.

Pledge repeated in unison.

Eleven principles discussed:

1. Obligation.
 2. Fellowship.
 3. Trust.
 4. Loyalty to Christ.
- Special music.—Duet, Mrs. H. L. Morrison and Mrs. Rose.
5. Loyalty to the church.
 6. Testimony.
 7. Service.
 8. Prayer.

Prayer for God's power manifested in the whole church.

9. Bible Reading.

10. Consecration.

11. Perpetuity.

Sentences prayers.

Offering for Christian Endeavor building.

Closing exercises.

Notice to Stockholders.

A meeting of the stockholders of the Union Gin and the Union Warehouse at Graham, Tex. is hereby called to meet at Graham at 1 o'clock on Saturday, February 8, 1913.

A. H. Jones.

Special Services.

There will be special services at the Christian church next Sunday morning—a special program being arranged for the occasion. The pastor urges all members to be present and extends a cordial invitation to every one to attend the services. You are invited to be present.

Cotton Seed.

Parties having cottonseed to sell will please bring them in before February 5. We expect to finish our crush about that time and after this date will be of lower value as we will have to keep them until next season.

Graham Cotton Oil Co.,

Graham, Texas.

Notice of Dissolution.

Notice is hereby given that the partnership, heretofore existing under the firm name D. G. Vick & Co. has been dissolved, W. M. Matthews, J. Matthews, Doak Matthews, T. Matthews, Miss Pearl Matthews, J. E. Norris and Geo. F. Parsons retiring; and D. G. Vick retaining all goods, wares, merchandise and fixtures belonging to said firm, excepting the undermentioned goods and fixtures thereto. D. G. Vick assumes all legitimate indebtedness and retaining all notes, accounts and judgments held by the old firm.

D. G. Vick.
T. E. Matthews.
W. M. Matthews.
Doak Matthews.
J. M. Matthews.
Miss Pearl Matthews.
J. E. Norris.
Geo. F. Parsons.

O. E. S.

The regular monthly meeting of the Eastern Star, held at the Masonic Hall was very interesting, both on account of the initiative ceremony and the social feature. Those of our members who failed to attend have missed something.

Special Deputy, Mrs. Cain, of Fort Worth, will visit us soon and we hope to have a good attendance and turn out some graduates in secret work for this noble organization.

Mrs. J. W. Akin.

Lost Dog.

A bull pup was lost either on the Belknap-Graham road or in Graham, sometime ago. He is white all over with the exception of a black spot over one eye. His ears are cropped and his tail has been cut off. Finder will please return him to the Rock Island Stable in Graham.

G. W. Carlton.

P. S. This dog answers to the name of "Governor Colquitt."

One Success Sulky Plow; in good repair, for sale cheap; also two six-pow riding cultivators at a bargain. These implements are second-hand, but in first-class condition. Cash or credit.—A. W. Kay.

Each and every person who receives mail at or through the Graham Postoffice is solicited to express their choice for Postmaster, either from the above list or the name of any other person who may be an aspirant.

As an inducement for all of the patrons of the Graham Postoffice to voice their sentiments, the following offer is made:

A free trip of three days to the Fat Stock Show at Fort Worth, or to the Dallas Fair, will be given to the person who writes the best letter setting forth why his or her choice for Postmaster is superior to all of the other aspirants.

Regardless of who may receive the appointment as Postmaster at Graham, the person who casts a vote for some candidate, and who writes a letter setting forth the greatest number of good reasons why his or her candidate should receive the appointment, will, in the event that their choice of the candidates is appointed, be given the free trip. The expense account of said trip to include railway transportation and three days' hotel bill, either at the Westbrook Hotel at Fort Worth or the Southland Hotel at Dallas, according to which trip is made.

The winner in this contest to decide which trip will be made; provided, the Postmaster at Graham shall have been appointed before the date of the Fat Stock Show. Should such appointment not be made in time for the trip to the Fat Stock Show, then the trip to the Dallas Fair will be awarded.

Your vote will be deposited in a ballot box at either the office of the Graham Leader or at the office of the West Texas Reporter. The results shall be printed in both the Graham Leader and the West Texas Reporter.

A committee of three will count the votes and decide who shall get the free trip to the Fat Stock Show or to the Dallas Fair.

The committee will be selected by the editors of the Graham papers.

Should you not have a copy of the Graham Leader or the West Texas Reporter, from which to cut out a blank ballot, you may secure same at the office of either paper.

Remember, any one who receives mail in their own name, at or through the Graham Postoffice, is entitled to a vote in this matter.

VOTING BLANK

Ballot boxes and tickets are ready—vote now before it is too late. The place to vote is either at the office of the Graham Leader or the West Texas Reporter, and can be voted personally or by mail.

My choice for Postmaster is

My name is

My age is..... My address is.....

P. O. Box No..... R. F. D. No..... General Delivery.....

P. S.—Children only will be required to insert their age.

EACH PERSON WILL BE ALLOWED TO VOTE BUT ONCE

(Advertisement.)

Some People Think

- ☐ That banks are only for rich people.
- ☐ It is true that the banks help the wealthy man to handle his money.
- ☐ But they help the poor man to save his money.
- ☐ When he has shown himself to be a saver and has established himself at the bank they loan him more money with which to make money.
- ☐ Prepare to make money by starting an account today.

THE BECKHAM NATIONAL BANK

HOME FOR SAVINGS
STRONG SAFE CONSERVATIVE COURTEOUS

Local Notes

SOUTHWESTERN PHONE 25-3
INDEPENDENT PHONE 30-3.

Red, yellow and white onion sets.—W. I. Tidwell & Sons.

J. M. Keen was here from Farmer last Monday.

17 pounds of beans for \$1.00 at—Owens & Young.

Mrs. G. W. Black is reported to be somewhat improved today.

Bring us your chickens, eggs, and butter.—Owens & Young.

R. S. Rowan, of Clay county, is here this week prospecting.

Dill, sweet and sour Pickles, Loose Kraut, new catch Mackerel.—W. I. Tidwell & Sons.

Dan Cambren, of near Newcastle, was here on business last Friday.

The best tonic for your horse or cow, International Stock Food.—W. I. Tidwell & Sons.

Mrs. J. M. Hand has been quite sick several days, but is now improving.

Fresh Dill Pickles—Graves & Ward.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Henderson, last Sunday, January 26, a boy.

Angell's Comedians will be at the Graham Opera House every night next week.

L. F. Evans, of Fish Creek, was looking after business in Graham last Monday.

J. S. Munsey, constable at Newcastle, was transacting business at the court house Monday.

J. T. Vaughan has been sick and confined to his bed for the past several days.

R. A. Kutch called last Monday and handed us his renewal to The Leader.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Schuster returned last Thursday from a visit with relatives at Olney.

Fresh shipment assorted cakes and crackers. New Flaked Hominy and Grits.—W. I. Tidwell & Sons.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Price and little baby, of near Proffitt, spent last Saturday night with relatives in the city.

Don't forget that John Hughes, the tinner, is located at the northeast corner of the square. Hughes & Kizer solicit your trade.

James Reed and daughter, Miss Vera, and J. B. Burgess, of near Pickwick, were trading in Graham Tuesday.

Furniture for Sale.

A nice lot of household furniture for sale at bargain prices.

L. B. Kidwell, Graham, Texas.

F. G. Burnett was here Tuesday from Elvasville with a load of pecans for McGlamery & Bentley. He paid our office a call while in town.

Alabama Cotton Seed For Sale!

for sale at my ranch, or I will deliver them in town if desired. Price 50 cents per bushel.

G. W. McComas, 4t Graham, Texas.

Pure Ribbon Candy Syrup in barrels.—Graves & Ward.

Mrs. Walter Price is still on the sick list.

Mrs. A. B. Casburn is visiting relatives in Newcastle.

Eld. J. H. Fisher returned Monday night from Wilbarger county where he filled an appointment with one of his churches.

Attention, Woodmen!

All Woodmen should leave lodge dues at Graham National Bank if you fail to see me.

R. Voules, Clerk.

Clark Rutherford sends us this week, his renewal to The Leader. He is now at Chickasha, Oklahoma.

J. C. Akers was here Monday from his home near South Bend and remembered The Leader in a financial way for which we extend our thanks.

WOOD CHOPPERS!

I want some men to chop cord wood for me at Murray at once.

E. S. Cusembary, Murray, Texas.

Wesley Johnson left Monday for Roswell, New Mexico, where he will enter the New Mexico Military Institute. He will return about the first of June.

County Treasurer I. B. Padgett had issued up to Tuesday morning, 199 road tax receipts. Many of the people have expressed themselves as being in favor of keeping the roads up by taxation.

Highest prices paid for Chickens, Turkeys, Eggs, Butter, Hides and Furs by

D. J. Brandon.

R. W. Dooley, one of the hardest working farmers in the Clear Fork Valley, was in town on business last Monday and remembered The Leader with a short business call.

T. F. Dixon, a former resident of this county, but now a prosperous stock farmer of Luzon, in Kent county, spent last week here visiting his father, J. A. Dixon, out on the Murray route.

Jacob Cross, one of The Leader's old friends at Loving, was in to see us on business a few minutes while in town last Thursday and renewed for the Leader.

G. McCluer, of Loving, called last Friday and renewed for the Leader and Dallas News. He said the recent rains had put the ground in good condition for plowing and most of the farmers were busy.

J. A. Dixon, one of the country's oldest and most highly respected citizens, sent in his renewal to The Leader last Saturday by his son, T. F. Dixon, of Luzon, Texas, who is here visiting him.

Sherley White, one of our old friends at True, was in to see us a while last Monday. He says his section of the country has been thoroughly looked after by the oil men, and that a number of wells have been bored in the northern part of the country.

Angell's Comedians—nothing old but the name—at opera house every night next week.

G. B. King, the young and popular editor of the Woodson Record, spent the first of the week in Graham and remembered The Leader with a fraternal call. He was accompanied home Tuesday by Mrs. Creager, who had been visiting the family of J. H. Alford, and Mrs. C. B. Van Horn who returned Monday night from a visit in Dallas.

Great White Goods Sale

STARTS SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 1st
AT 8:30 O'CLOCK

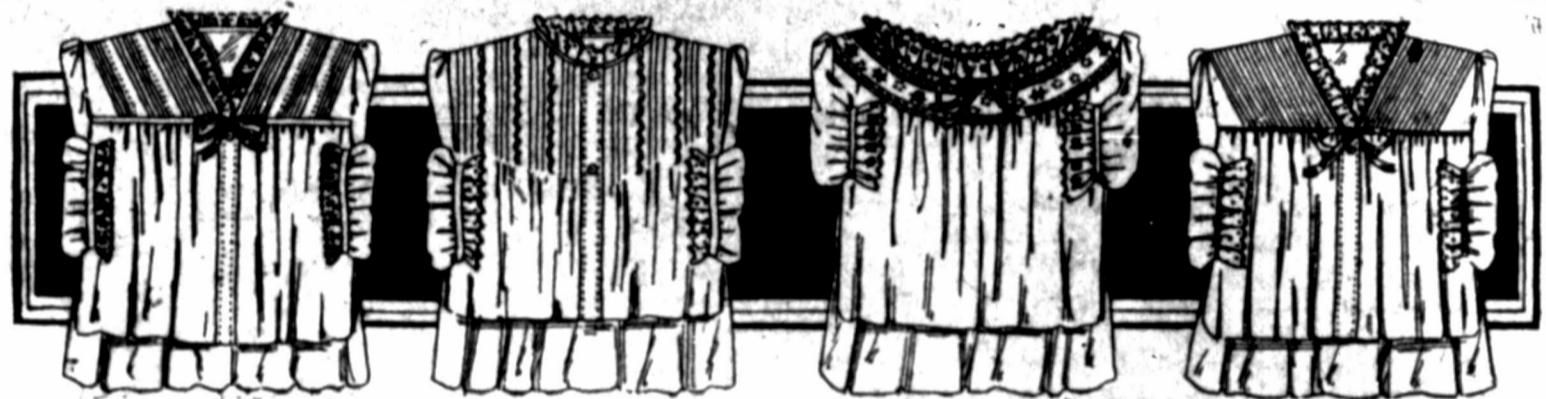
Now for the Greatest Sale of White Goods ever given in Graham; a sale of special interest to every woman in Young County; a sale that no one can afford to miss, because of the extraordinary bargains it offers.

SEE EMBROIDERY PRICES GO DOWN

The Store doors will open at 8:30 o'clock, Saturday morning, and on a large table will be displayed thousands of yards of Embroidery, Edge, Insertion and Flouncing from 3 to 27 inches wide and worth up to 50c per yard, on sale at choice for only

At Ten O'Clock the price on the unsold portion of these embroideries will be reduced to choice for 9c
At Eleven O'Clock the price will be cut another cent, giving you choice for 8c
At Two O'Clock the price will be reduced to 7½c
At Four O'Clock the final cut will be made to the price of only 7c

Remember these embroideries are worth up to 50c a yard, so come the first day and at 8:30 o'clock if possible. All embroideries not included in the above lot will also be on sale at Greatly Reduced Prices.



NEW AND DAINTY MUSLIN UNDERWEAR AT SALE PRICES

Our entire stock of Puritan Undergarments just received from the factory will be offered at such low prices that you should buy during this sale all that you will need for Spring and Summer.

LADIES' GOWNS	PRINCESS SLIPS	MUSLIN UNDERSKIRTS
Fine Cambric Gowns, neatly trimmed, worth \$2.50, at \$1.95	Ladies' Princess Slips, well made of best materials, worth \$4.00, at 2.95	All \$1.75 Skirts at \$1.35
Fine Gowns, \$2.50 values, now 1.55	Our \$2.50 Slips on sale at only 1.95	All 1.50 Skirts at 1.10
\$1.50 Gown at 1.10	Good assortment of \$2.00 Slips, special at 1.55	All 1.25 Skirts at 95c
1.25 Gowns at 95c	\$1.50 Princess Slips 1.10	All 1.00 Skirts at 75c
1.00 Gowns at 75c	1.25 Princess Slips 95c	All .75 Skirts at 55c
.75 Gowns at 55c		
.65 Gowns at 49c		
COMBINATION SUITS	CORSET COVERS	MISSES and CHILDRENS
New Suits, good material and trimming, \$1.50 quality at \$1.10	Fine \$1.25 Covers at 95c	Children's Drawers, worth 12½c and 15c, special at 8½c
Regular \$1.25 Suits at 95c	All our \$1.00 Covers at 75c	Children's Drawers 15c
Regular 1.00 Suits at 75c	75c Corset Covers 55c	Misses' Drawers 25c, 22½c, 20c
Regular .75 Suits at 55c	50c Corset Covers 42c	Misses' Gowns at extra special prices.
	35c Corset Covers 25c	

NEW LACES AT SALE PRICES

Now is the time to buy your Laces for Spring. We sell the ZION Lace made in the only large factory in the United States. As the duty on imported laces is from 40% to 60% we can sell you much cheaper than stores handling imported laces.

SIX BIG BARGAINS

- Lot No. 1.**—Special assortment of Val and Torchon Laces, worth 4c to 6½c, on sale at only 2½c
- Lot No. 2.**—Zion Laces in fine and medium weight Vals, special 3½c
- Lot No. 3.**—Zion Laces, thousands of yards will be on sale at 5c
- Lot No. 4.**—Zion Fine Val, Torchon and Linen Laces, special 7½c
- Lot No. 5.**—Fine Shadow Laces, Vals and Heavy Laces, Zion make, worth up to 16½c, at 10c
- Lot No. 6.**—Wide Laces and Bands, newest kinds and patterns, specials at 12½c, 15c, 20c, 25c

New White Piece Goods at Sale Prices

Our Spring White Goods are here and will be placed on sale at money saving prices.

Checked Nainsooks at 8½c and 10c	Fancy White Goods, specials at 15c to 48c
Checked Dimities at 10c and 12½c	Bleached Domestics at 8c and 9c
Cotton Crepe, special at 10c and 12½c	Lonsdale Cambric now only 12½c
Fine Dimities at 15c, 20c and 22½c	White Linens at Sale Prices.
Flaxons at 11½c and 14c	Sheets and Pillow Cases at Reduced Prices.

This will be the Greatest White Goods Sale ever put on in Graham. Don't miss it.

Sale will continue for two weeks, but it will pay you to come as early as possible.

S. B. STREET & CO.



The Average Woman's Lace Bill is From \$10 TO \$20 A YEAR.

PERHAPS you have spent \$10 for lace on a single dress.

If we could save you one-half on your laces would you consider it worth while?

On most of the fine laces you have bought in the past you have paid import duty. Zion Laces, manufactured at Zion City, Ill., rival the finest machine-made laces from Nottingham, England, or Calais, France, with no duty added to the selling price.

We are making a special display of Zion Laces this week—and the many excellent values will afford you a great saving on your lace purchases. By "excellent values" we are not speaking of the wearing qualities alone, although the finest Egyptian and Sea Island Cotton is used in making Zion Laces.

Value in a piece of lace, as every woman knows, comes from its exquisite beauty of design, accurate stitches, real artistic merit and strength of fabric.

Zion Laces have an individuality all their own.

With the workers in the Zion Lace Industries lace-making is an art. The designers are the best that can be found in Europe, their whole education having been directed to creating artistic designs for laces.

The religious atmosphere of Zion City, the village and community life and the light, healthful factory—all are reflected in the distinctive "character" of Zion Laces.

S. B. STREET & CO.

MORE OIL WELLS TO BEGIN SOON.

Leasing Going on Rapidly at 25c
to \$1.00 per Acre.

Shackelford is to the front as a prospective oil field—with natural gas abundant.

Since the bringing in of the two gas wells, one at Moran and one at Judge J. A. Matthews ranch, Shackelford county is becoming more than ever before the center of oil and gas prospecting. Three companies are busy now taking leases and making preparation for greater activity than heretofore manifested. These companies are the Texas Company, The Corsicana Petroleum Company and the Lone Star Gas Company. All of these have representatives in the field taking all the leases they can secure.

Nor, judging from what we have heard from good authority, is it difficult to secure leases. Within a few days one company leased 30,000 acres and is still taking leases. Some of this land comes up to the suburbs of Albany. Some of the other companies taking leases have doubtless leased as much as the company referred to, and probably more. Leasing is going on over most of the county, but especially do we have reference to the Albany vicinity, Sedwick and Moran vicinities, and the territory north of Albany toward the Matthews well.

Leases are bringing all the way from 25c an acre to \$1.00 an acre.

The Texas Company is already beginning on the second well on Judge Matthews' ranch, using natural gas as fuel, and is planning, we are told, to start two more wells soon on the said ranch. This company is also planning to start the second well on the J. H. Nail ranch. It has recently begun a new well near the last gas well at Moran.

We are told, further, that there will probably be a well begun early in the spring much nearer

Albany than any already in operation.

To say the least, Albany's prospects for early developing into an oil field is promising. With gas in abundance to use as fuel and to encourage prospecting, it is quite safe to predict more rapid development from now on.—Albany News.

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.
The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the
Signature of *Dr. H. H. Stitt*

Austin.—The railroad commission is making special rates on "grabbots" or unopened cotton bolls, which are transported to thrashers and the hulls taken off, leaving the lint and seed to be utilized.



GIVES MIDNIGHT ALARM

Farmer Stout was awakened from a sound sleep by the ringing of his telephone bell. The barn of his neighbor, three miles down the turnpike, had been broken into and a driving horse stolen.

The horse-thieves were headed toward the Stout farm. Calling his hands he armed his force, lined them upon the turnpike, captured the thieves and held them until the arrival of the Sheriff.

THE SOUTHWESTERN
TELEGRAPH AND TELEPHONE CO.
DALLAS, TEXAS



TO BOYS AND GIRLS WHO ARE AMBITIOUS.

The University of Texas has just issued full four-year scholarships to eight of the winners in the 1912 prize crop contest of the Texas Industrial Congress. They were sent to Col. Henry Exall, president of the Congress for his signature and were then mailed to the fortunate young farmers. Miss Annie Lou Darby, of Pittsburg, Camp county, winner of \$25; the fourth prize in Texas Cotton Club, is the only girl in the scholarship winners. She raised 2.03 bales on one acre at a net profit of \$8471. The other winners are: Alford Branch, Overton, Rusk county, who received the first prize of \$250 in the Texas Corn Club for one acre of corn. His yield was 167.5 produced at a net profit of \$95.35. Emil S. Kovar, of Fayetteville, Fayette county, awarded \$125, the second prize in the same class on a production of 125.27 bushels at a net profit of \$69.38. John R. Henderson, Birthright, Hopkins county, awarded \$75, the third prize in Texas Corn Club for a yield of 133.8 bushels at a profit of \$67.16. Henry Kovar, Fayetteville, Fayette Co., awarded \$50, the fourth prize in the same class on a yield of 118.22 bushels at a profit of \$63.85. H. W. Kloppenburg, Sublime, Lavaca county awarded the second prize of \$125 in the Texas Cotton Club for one acre of cotton on a yield of 2.09 bales at a profit of \$91.33. Webb Crow, Tyler, Smith county, awarded \$75 the third prize in the Texas Cotton Club for a yield of 2.38 bales—the largest cotton production of Texas during 1912—net profit \$85.40. Raymond Baca, Fayetteville, Fayette county, awarded \$200, the second prize in Class D, for two acres of kafir corn or milo maize. His yield was 157.1 bushels, net profit \$48.49.

Mr. E. S. Kovar was entitled to the scholarship on two counts as he was awarded the first prize in the Texas Cotton Club on a yield of 2.01 bales produced at a profit of \$91.68 in addition to the second prize in the Texas Corn Club.

The announcement of the 1913 prize offer of \$10,000 is now being distributed in pamphlet form. The number of acres in the four-crop model demonstration farm, known as Class A, has been reduced from ten to four acres, thus affording the tenant farmers who rent only a small farm, an equal opportunity to contest for the large prizes offered in this class. The Congress anticipates that a large number of boys will also enter this class. A larger number of prizes have been offered in the Texas Corn and Cotton Clubs, open to boys and girls over ten and under twenty years of age. A combination prize of \$500 is offered to the boy or girl who shall win the first prize in both the Texas Corn and Cotton Clubs, and every school in Texas is invited to enter this contest.

Full particulars and an application blank may be had by addressing the Texas Industrial Congress at Dallas.

Pleurisy pains are located just below the short ribs. Lumbago affects the same region but toward the back. BAILLIARD'S SNOW LINIMENT is the remedy in either case. If rubbed in thoroughly it eases pain, relaxes the muscles and the patient can move about freely and comfortably. Price 25c, 50c and \$1.00 per bottle. Sold by all druggists. (Advertisement.)

San Benito.—The contracts have been let and construction will be commenced at once, on all buildings belonging to the Frisco Demonstration Farm No. 6. This farm will be located near San Benito. Mr. A. R. Sprague, special agricultural agent of the Frisco, will have charge of the farm.

Obituary.

Mrs. Elizabeth Yeager, who died suddenly at the poor farm last Saturday, January 18, was born in Mississippi November 12, 1842, and was seventy-three years old. Her maiden name was Holly. She was married to L. W. Yeager July 9, 1874. Her husband died the first day of February 1894 and the same year she moved with her people to Young county. She was willing to live only with her two sisters and when it was talked over to get homes for them among good country families they refused to be separated or to accept the homes they might have gotten.

Mrs. Yeager and her two sisters were members of the Primitive Baptist church at Center Ridge for years, and the members having mostly moved away, the church became extinct there and they did not have the pleasure of attending any services for years.

Mrs. Yeager had no blood relatives in Young county at the time of her death. She was a meek, unassuming christian woman. She often spoke of the life that she was waiting for, just beyond. While it is sad to see her pass away, yet we know that she is better off in that house not made with hands eternal and in the Heavens.

Services were held at the grave by Eld. J. H. Fisher. The following scripture was presented, "For we know that if our earthly house of this tabernacle were dissolved, we have a building of God, a house not made with hands eternal in the heavens," 2 Cor. 5:1.

Her mortal remains were laid to rest in the Oak Grove cemetery at 5 o'clock last Saturday evening. A Friend.

Card of Appreciation.

We wish to express our appreciations to our many friends and customers for favors and patronage given during the year 1912. We same for 1913, assuring you a sanitary shop, first-class barber work and courteous treatment.

Wishing you a happy and prosperous New Year.

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Will be Early Easter.

Easter Sunday falls on March 23rd this year. Only twice in the last century did Easter come upon this date, in the years 1845 and 1856. In 1818 it fell upon March 22. Easter will not come at as early a date again until the twenty-first century.

The setting of Easter is determined by the Daschal moon—the fourteenth day of the calendar or full moon which comes upon or after March 21. Should the full moon come on Sunday then the following Sunday will be Easter.

Mebane Cotton Seed For Sale.

It does not pay to raise anything but the best and the Big Boll Five Lock Mebane Cotton is beyond a shadow of a doubt the best. This seed is from my very best, all of the first picking, and is from bolls averaging from eight to ten seeds to the lock. As a rule, 1350 pounds of this cotton in the seed will make a 525 pound bale. The bolls are large and easily picked. It is rapidly proving to be the cotton for this country and those who are raising the old grades should make the change to the Mebane this year.

I have a limited amount of the Mebane Big Boll cotton seed for sale in Graham, at Carlton Bros' Livery Stable. They are sacked in two and four bushel sacks. Price of seed at barn, \$1.00 per bushel.

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Obituary.

"Asleep in Jesus, blessed sleep, From which none ever wake to weep."

On the evening of October 31, 1912, Sister Kate Cusenbary closed her eyes on this world and her spirit went home to God.

She was born in Kentucky September 29, 1852, but moved with her parents to Missouri a few years later. She gave her heart to God and joined the Missionary Baptist church at an early date and has since lived an earnest, devoted, christian life.

She was united in marriage to E. S. Cusenbary January 5, 1872. The young people lived in Missouri four years after marriage and then moved to Young county in 1876, where they have since resided. She was a true help-meat, a tender and loving mother, a good neighbor and a devoted christian. She was ever ready to enter into any undertaking for her church and community and she knew no such word as fail.

With her Heavenly sword and shield, she marched on to victory. Now she has lain her burden down, and is at rest with Jesus. How we shall miss her, but we know that our loss is Heaven's gain.

To the sorrowing ones, we would say, "Weep not, for she is waiting in Heaven to welcome you."

(Adopted in conference, Sunday, January 5, 1913)

Rev. Godfrey, Mod.
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Olney.—Within a radius of twenty miles of Olney fifteen wells have been drilled by prospectors for oil. While no big gushers have been brought in there is every indication of oil in many of the wells.

Franklin.—J. W. Guynes, of this city, has purchased the machinery for a nice ice factory to be erected here. The daily capacity of this plant will be six tons and the approximate cost is estimated at \$15,000. Work is to start immediately.

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The Imperial Self-Heating Sad-Iron. Sells in every home. \$50.00 per week to good hustlers. Write Imperial Self-Heating Sad-Iron Co. 1st. National Bank Bldg. Ft. Worth, Texas. (Advertisement.)

San Angelo.—The construction of silos in this section has solved the feed question, and farmers have been convinced that milk and cream can be produced most profitably by feeding ensilage. As a result a united effort is being made by them to establish a creamery here.

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Notice!

NOTICE is hereby given that on the first day of the regular term of the Commissioners Court of Young County, Texas, to-wit:

On the 10th day of February, A. D. 1913, sealed bids will be received from any banking corporation, association or individual banker in this county to act as county depository of county funds of said county. Said bids shall be sealed and shall state the rate of interest that said banking corporation, association or individual banker offers to pay on the funds of the county of Young from the date of said bid until the time required by law to again select a county depository. Said bids shall be accompanied with a certified check for not less than \$250.00.

Witness my hand and seal of said Court, at Graham, Young County, Texas, this 10th day of January A. D. 1913.

(Seal) E. W. Fry,
County Judge, Young County, Texas.

San Antonio.—The San Antonio Uvalde and Gulf railroad has filed an amendment increasing its capital stock from \$250,000 to \$280,000, and will lengthen the line from a point in Atascosa county to San Patricio county, a distance of fifty miles. Work is to begin immediately.

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EPIDEMIC CEREBRO-SPINAL MENINGITIS

From the Texas Anti-Tuberculosis Association's Public Health Bulletin.

The following article on meningitis is published at the request of Mrs. O. B. Colquitt, President Texas Anti-Tuberculosis Association:

Because of its recent outbreaks in the Southern and Southwestern states Epidemic Cerebro-Spinal Meningitis is a disease of peculiar and vital interest to the general public.

The specific cause of epidemic meningitis is known to the Meningococcus, a very small "biscuit-shaped" organism which is found in pairs. Although meningitis (which is, essentially, an inflammation of the membranes surrounding the brain and spinal cord) may be caused by other bacteria, the epidemic form of the disease is always due to the meningococcus. This organism probably invades the human body by way of the nasopharynx. It is found in practically all cases in the cerebro-spinal fluid. Lumbar puncture or the withdrawal of fluid from the spinal canal by means of a needle introduced for this purpose, is used to obtain fluid for microscopic examination as well as for relief of pressure and the introduction of serum.

The portal of entry of the meningococcus into the body is through the mucous membrane of the nasopharynx. From this location it probably enters the blood and lymph streams directly. Careful examinations of the nose and throat of patients have shown the meningococcus present in a considerable proportion of cases. Since this is true it may be seen that the secretion of the nose and throat of meningitis patients may be highly infectious and the disease may be transmitted to other individuals directly by these secretions. Coughing, sneezing and forced expirations cause the expulsion of small particles of mucus which may be inhaled by others and through the infection of their nose and throat meningitis may result.

In recent years it has been discovered that in epidemics of meningitis, as has been found true in diphtheria epidemics, many individuals will be found who do not show any evidence of the disease and yet show many of the germs in the secretions of the nose and throat. We speak of these individuals as "carriers" because, while they themselves are not ill, yet they may be the means of transmitting the germs to others who, through lowered bodily resistance, etc., may develop the disease. The patient is a source of danger because of the secretions; the "carrier" is much more dangerous because his radius of activity is greater. It is not confined to his bed and seen by only a few, but goes about his daily business and may scatter the organisms as he goes. Many individuals who come in direct contact with the patient become carriers. They may not contract the disease, but

they may disseminate it. Also it has been shown that many who have not at any time come in contact, directly or indirectly, with patients show the meningococcus in the naso-pharynx. The number of carriers, then, is not restricted to those in the community who are in attendance upon or members of families in which cases of meningitis occur.

While meningitis is not an "air-borne" disease and does not require, possibly, the same restrictions as some of the most contagious diseases, it is certainly desirable that definite steps be taken by the health authorities to see that all those who may contribute to the spread of the disease be under control. This would mean the reporting of all cases which are even suggestive to the local authorities. Rigid isolation of the patient and attendants should be insisted upon. The secretions of the patient should be disinfected and the attendants should use antiseptic sprays and gargles. The house should be placarded and all visitors excluded. Children of the family should not be admitted to school unless they can be found to be free from the organisms and can change their residence.

If the number of cases in a given locality is sufficient to justify such measures, schools should be closed, public gatherings, such as church services and theaters should be prohibited, every effort should be made toward thorough cleanliness, both general and personal. It is scarcely necessary to say that the public drinking cup should be avoided. In this manner the direct transmission or organisms which occurs so readily in places of public gatherings could be largely prevented.

Personal prophylaxis is of equal importance. That is, cleanliness of person as well as premises. The intestinal tract should be kept clean; constipation should be avoided. An infection of the nose or throat—an acute "cold"—may be the means of allowing the meningococcus entrance through a mucous membrane which had been resistant.

A drug which may be of much value is hexamethylenamin. This drug has been shown to be excreted, when taken in large doses, into the cerebro-spinal fluid. Wherever it is excreted it exerts a more or less definite germicidal action because of the fact that it is broken up in the body and formaldehyde is liberated. Since the organisms early localize themselves in the coverings of the brain and cord and the cerebro-spinal fluid, if sufficient formaldehyde can be gotten there to destroy them early, the disease might be aborted. The objection to this is that hexamethylenamin, given in sufficient dosage to excrete appreciable amounts of formaldehyde in the cerebro-spinal fluid (the amount necessary being from one to three

grams daily, often excites a violent irritation of the bladder and actual hemorrhages may even occur. On this account these large doses are out of the question for many individuals. In fact, the amount of hexamethylenamin which can be taken before this bladder irritation occurs varies markedly in different individuals. Some showed marked irritation on small doses while others take large ones over long periods of time with seeming impunity. It should be remembered that the drug should be discontinued at least temporarily whenever frequent, painful urination occurs.

Fortunately, hexamethylenamin is not only excreted into the spinal fluid, but also through the nasal mucous membrane. The is true even when moderately small doses are taken, i. e., from five to ten grains three times daily. Since the organisms gain entrance to the body through the nasal mucous membrane—the taking of hexamethylenamin should be of considerable service in liberating formaldehyde at this point and aiding in the destruction of the organisms.

A most important factor in personal prophylaxis is the nasal spray and the gargle. In this way direct applications of antiseptic solutions is made to the mucous membrane of the nose and throat. These applications to be effective must be thorough and must be done at frequent intervals. Alkaline sprays are probably the best, the ordinary Dobell's solution being very satisfactory. A dilute peroxide of hydrogen solution and weak solution of carbolic acid are often used. Any of these should be followed by an oily spray, as the frequent application of the watery solution leaves the mucous membrane bare of its normal thin coating of mucus and irritation occurs. Especially before going out in the cold air should the oil spray be used. The efficiency of the spray as a prophylactic measure is undoubted.

The use of anti-meningitis serum in the treatment of the disease was first elaborated in this country by Flexner and his associates of the Rockefeller Institute for medical research.

The use of this serum consists of its introduction through a hollow needle into the spinal canal. The needle is introduced between the vertebrae in the "small of the back" and the fluid in the spinal canal which contains the organisms is drained off. After sufficient fluid is withdrawn the serum is introduced through the same needle. Here this serum comes in contact with the organisms and, by the "immune bodies" which it contains, destroys them.

Of the value of serum in the treatment of meningitis there can no longer be any question. All cases are not cured. In some the disease is so violent and so rapid in its course that no treatment is of benefit. Upon former methods of treatment, however, the proportion of deaths was about 75 out of every 100 cases; with the proper use of serum the death rate has dropped until in the recent epidemic in Dallas, the mortality rate was little above 25 per cent. Under former methods of treatment we could not expect over 25 per cent of recoveries; now we get 75 per cent.

Before the general use of serum deafness, defects in speech and vision, paralysis, impaired intellect were all too frequent. With the use of serum these disasters are almost averted; their occurrence is relatively rare.

Newton discovered the power of gravitation, Montgolfier gave us the first balloon but history does not record the man that invented the way to stand still.

Oakland School Honor Roll.
This is to certify that the following names are of those who have attended school and been on time each day the previous month, the same ending January 24th.

- BOYS**
Daniel Padgett.
Harram Padgett.
Albert Riddle.
Willie Hignight.
Johnnie Hignight.
Millard Blunt.
Cooper Blunt.
Dewey Blunt.
Ray Lester.
Holland Enlow.
- GIRLS**
Amelia Robertson.
Mary Enlow.
Vera Enlow.
Carmen Enlow.
May Riddle.
Jewel Lester.
Georgie Bell Blunt.

I thank the patrons for their hearty co-operations of the previous month, asking them to please continue through the ensuing month, I am theirs very truly,
H. L. Groner, Teacher.

Abstracts Of Title.
Every land owner owes it to himself to have a complete abstract of title to his land.
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Kingsville.—Mrs. Henrietta King, owner of the famous King Ranch has placed an order with the McClure Silo Company, of Fort Worth, for forty-five silos to be delivered at an early date.
Corpus Christi.—Swift & Company have secured a long lease on property in this city for the erection of a branch house, to cost approximately \$20,000. Work will start the latter part of February.

Frightful Polar Winds.
A blow with terrific force at the far north and play havoc with the skin, causing red, rough or sore chapped hands and lips, that need Bucklin's Arnica Salve to heal them. It makes the skin soft and smooth. Unrivaled for cold-sores, also burns, boils, sores, ulcers, cuts, bruises and piles. Only 25 cents at all druggists. (Advertisement)

Normangee.—The local Com. Club has been revived and J. N. Sanders elected secretary. The club has outlined a plan of action for the coming year which includes trade days and get-together meetings.

Bay City.—LeTulle & Collins of this city, announce that they have cleared \$144,000 on their last crop of rice from their 1,800 acre farm. After the rice was off the ground 700 hogs were turned upon the field to be fattened.

Persons troubled with partial paralysis are often very much benefited by massaging the affected part thoroughly when applying Chamberlain's Liniment. This liniment also relieves rheumatic pains. For sale by Sloan Drug Co. (Adv.)

Brenham.—One of the largest land deals ever made in this section was consummated when the Riverside plantation, near Chappel Hill, consisting of 4,481 acres was sold to a syndicate. The consideration was given at \$248,921.

Mrs. A. R. Tabor, of Cider, Mo., had been troubled with sick headache for about five years when she began taking Chamberlain's Tablets. She has taken two bottles of them and they have cured her. Sick headache is caused by a disordered stomach for which these tablets are especially intended. Try them, get well and stay well. Sold by Sloan Drug Co. (Advertisement)

Gonzales.—It is reported that farm land in the vicinity of the big gas well which was struck about five miles from here has advanced in price from \$25 to \$50 per acre. It is planned to pipe the gas to the city for commercial purposes.

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