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Weather for December.

1st to 4th, Mild Period. 5th to 10th, Cloudy Period. 11th to 15th, Great Storm Period. 16th to 20th, Damp Period. 21st to 23rd, Rain Wave. 24th to 27th, Cold Wave. 28th to 31st, Mild Wave. Temperature normal.

J. T. Vaughan, manager of the Opera House, gave a complimentary luncheon to Angell's Comedians at the Mountinside Hotel last night. The menu consisted of the usual Christmas goodies and an enjoyable time was had. Mr. Vaughan is popular with members of the play world and always makes their stay in Graham pleasant.

Mesdames W. McDavid and J. R. McCluskey of South Bend were pleasant visitors at The Reporter office yesterday.

A few gift books left. They are marked down to close out. Graham Printing Co.

Friends of Miss Rosina Nelson, a former citizen of this city, will learn with pleasure of her marriage to Mr. William Wellington of West Virginia. They were married in Corsicana last Wednesday.

Dr. W. M. Terrell and Chas. Widmayer are in Ft. Worth today on business.

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Indian Mound.

Mr. Williams and Mr. Barnett of Newcastle were here last week.

G. W. McCommas and sons are moving some fences from one place to another.

Mrs. W. W. Williamson and Mr. E. G. Williamson and Mrs. R. G. Taylor visited Mrs. J. T. Taylor Thursday.

Wiley Stephens of Flint Creek was here Thursday after the road grader to fix some roads in the Flint Creek country.

Plow Boy, you asked me if I thought the time would come when I would like to be the other Kid. He belongs to the Baptist, or did the last time I was with him, but I think the Holiness' were entitled to him. Once a holiness preacher and wife visited this brother. The preacher said, calling Brother by name, "I believe he is sanctified." The lady said "I know he is, but the poor-fellow doesn't know it. The brother didn't claim sanctification at the time, neither does he now, so far as I know, but is right smart holiness, I think, in general belief. Were I to swap places with him, how much better off would I be? I would have been pleased if Plow Boy had told us why he didn't belong to these good people, and I want to ask Plow Boy one question for information and not for argument's sake, for that is something I can't do, even if I wanted to. The question is: why do real good men and women want to stay out in the world when they could do a great deal of good in the church?"

Yes, Miss Candy Kid, it's all right for the professor to visit at Flat Rock, if you girls will be sure to send him back to us and if the Miss Prof. wants to come along just let her come. The ladies are always welcome to our community.

Mrs. Mollie Dollins returned home Wednesday after spending a few days with her niece, Mrs. Ira Huckaby, near Jean.

Mr. Editor, I forgot one thing last week so I'll tell it right now. Some of our ladies, during the wet weather, requested me to make some inquiries as to C. D. Yancey. They said the last time they had heard of him was during the dry weather last fall and he said he was going off to pray for a good old steady, slow rain and asked all the ladies to join him. The ladies want him to please cease praying or else pray for something besides rain until they rest.

R. G. Taylor and Austin Bird have been getting wood this week; I guess they are looking for winter.

Reece Easterling was hauling wheat to Graham Friday.

Jess Newman was hauling hay for Tom Rutherford to Newcastle Friday.

Tom Rutherford and wife were visiting relatives here Saturday night and Sunday.

R. G. Taylor went to Graham last Friday and attended the funeral of Will Butler, who was one of his I. O. O. F. brethren.

G. M. James went to Graham Saturday.

J. S. Walker, from east of Graham was here Friday to help his son-in-law, J. T. Taylor move.

Mr. Taylor is moving down near Mr. Walker. Joe is a pretty good fellow and as good as most other boys, as long as you give him his way and we regret to lose him from our community.

Last Wednesday Bob Taylor's team got stuck up in the mud south of his house. He was helped out by Joe Taylor and Hubert Walker. The neighbors haven't decided yet whether the hallowing they heard was Bob wanting help to get out or Joe and Hubert wanting their wives to come on to the cotton patch.

Joe Taylor had the misfortune of getting bogged up south of Mr. Hightower's Thursday with a load of cotton bolls while on his way to Graham. Judging from the looks of everything around there, some one or more must have thought of some words not found in daily reading.

Sunday school and prayer-meeting was very well attended Sunday.

E. H. Stockings, who is working for Will Slater at Red Top was among friends here Sunday.

Cliff Rutherford of Red Top was here Sunday.

Carr Rutherford and wife and baby of Loving came over Saturday to visit home folks.

Next Saturday and Sunday will be regular meeting time here. Everybody is cordially invited to come out and especially the members.

One young lady of our neighborhood said Sunday the reason she was late at Sunday school was that she was keeping back. We wonder why she doesn't make a proposal to Jack o' Diamonds and put him to cooking.

H. H. Stevens, wife and baby visited Mrs. Steven's father, C. F. (Fatty) Newman, north of Loving Friday. His daughter, Miss Corrine Stevens, who is going to school at Loving came home with them and stayed till Sunday.

Miss Ruth Stevens and little brother Elmer carried her to Loving Sunday.

Miss Jimmie Bird, who is teaching school at Orth came home Friday afternoon to visit home folks.

Prof. Willie Simpson made a trip north-west of here Sunday. I guess Candy Kid won't tell this on the Prof.

Mary Beard visited Lena Dollins Sunday.

Inez Fisher visited Gertrude and Irene Taylor Sunday.

O. Steen was in our community Sunday.

E. G. Williamson and family visited G. W. McCommas Sunday.

John Newman, once an Indian Mound boy, but for the last few months of near Padgett, is here for a few days' visit to relatives and friends.

Charlie James visited Hilard Easterling Sunday.

I have a good mind to tell about Bob Taylor being seen breaking his garden last Saturday while it was too muddy to do anything else, but maybe I had better not, for fear some one might think he was a little work buckle when he is not.

Austin Bird and G. M. James went to Newcastle Monday.

Floyd McCommas drove in a nice little bunch of cattle from west of here Monday.

John McCommas was hauling wheat to Graham Monday.

We wonder why Governor O. B. (Colquhoun) has quit his road working? We hear nothing said about it nowadays.

Mrs. Lizzie Bryant and sister, Miss Minnie Fisher, were pleasant callers at our school Monday. We hope all the ladies will visit our school for we school kids sure do like visitors.

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin and two children from near Jean passed here Monday afternoon enroute home.

Mr. Beard, who is living on the McCommas ranch will move in a few days to W. W. Williamson's farm.

Bob Taylor was a caller at Austin Bird's Tuesday.

Well, Mr. Editor, as you requested the Correspondents to remember you with plenty of news for Christmas, I guess I had better keep back the rest of the news for next week. Kid.

Story Books for Gifts.

Buy one while the stock is complete. Marked down for the Holidays. Graham Printing Co.

Red Top.

The pound supper at Grandpa Slater's Saturday night was well attended and everyone present reported an "elephant" time.

Miss Blanche Casey spent from Thursday night until Monday with her cousin, Miss Ida McBee.

Miss Ada Workman spent last Saturday night with Miss Dora McBee.

Mr. Floyd McCommas of Indian Mound attended the pound supper Saturday night. Come again, we are always glad to have visitors.

Quite a number of the Loving boys were present at the pound supper as were Mr. Mont Hamm and sister, Miss Norma, of Lone Oak. All are cordially invited to come back again.

Miss Dora McBee spent Tuesday with her sister, Mrs. Bertha Workman.

Miss Annie Mary Slater visited Misses Eureka and Mary Slater Sunday.

Misses Ida McBee and Blanche Casey visited at Mrs. Lem Bryant's Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lem Bryant have planned a trip to Hill county, where they will visit relatives.

Mr. Herbert Slater called at Loving Tuesday. Spinster Maid.

Live Oak.

Thank you, Mr. Editor for the compliment bestowed upon us last week.

Mr. Rigsby and family came in last week from Peacock, Texas, where they have been for some time picking cotton.

Mr. J. D. Bowling and Mr. Rube Pounds went to Proffitt Saturday for corn.

Chas. Donnell and family and Lacy Mayes, wife and baby went to Newcastle Wednesday on a shopping expedition.

Live Oak school will render a short program Friday the 19th. County Supt. King is expected to be with us and make a speech on the consolidation of schools. Our people are getting interested along this line.

Mr. Speer and family have moved from the Graham ranch to Proffitt.

Mr. Smith has moved to the Graham ranch rent house.

The young folks enjoyed a singing at Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Bowling's Sunday night.

Some of our older folks enjoyed it over the phone.

Sorrowful Kid, change your name. There is nothing sorry about The Reporter. If you can't change it by marriage, go through a process of law.

Health good, peace serene. More Anon.

Honor Roll Bitter Creek School.

This is to certify that the following named pupils have attended school and been on time each day the previous month, ending Dec. 5th, 1913.

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Melvin Wainscott
Harland Gilmore
Holmes Alexander
Edgar Wilson
Earnest Flowers
Charlie Hammond
Wemer Kunkle
George Wilson
Jee Wilson

GRLS—
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Ila Alexander
Illian Hammond
Thel Wainscott
Luth Gray
Irene Gilmore
Lisie Gilmore
Lisie Alexander
Lura Alexander
Anie Wilson

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Live News from our Correspondents

Rocky Mound.

Here I come trying to write something. I will tell of a wedding the first thing.

Mr. Dan Weaver and Miss Alice Golston were married last Sunday afternoon, Elder D. J. E. Clark saying the ceremony. I, with many more, wish them a long and happy life.

I will say the same for Jack o' Diamonds and Blondie when they hitch for life. I don't think that will be long off from the way they write.

Mr. Rubey Robertson and sister, Ruth, spent Sunday with Mr. Brashears and family.

Mr. V. W. Willis of Flint Creek spent Sunday with W. G. Golston.

Mr. Miller was a pleasant caller at W. G. Golston's Sunday.

I know I won't write as good letters as Buffalo Bill but as he has quit writing I thought I would try. I don't want everything to go dead like the Sunday school did. This letter may not reach The Reporter, but if it does I want to tell you Correspondents that I sure enjoy reading your letters. I think they are all good.

Jack o' Diamonds I think several people besides myself will go to Flint Creek Friday night to hear you sing your song.

Round Rock.

(That is the spirit, Round Rock, don't let the interest in your community die out. And let us say that when a community is represented in the columns of The Reporter there is little chance of it being overlooked. Young county is being brought closer together as a people and as separate communities, community activities have been aroused and pride taken in things local and general, since representation has been had in The Reporter. Just one, live, active person in a community, by keeping everlastingly at it, can awaken a great deal of interest in the affairs of the community and country.—Editor.)

Farmer.

O. E. Cook is recovering from the smallpox and lagrippe. Oscar has been down about three weeks. We are glad to report him improving.

Hog killing has been the order of the day. My! but the fat hogs that have been slain this week.

Dr. G. W. Durham is adding another room to his house and making other improvements on the place.

Jim Davis and family went to Anarene in their new car Friday, returning Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Mollie Keen and daughter, Ollie have returned from a visit to Mrs. Ila Gray of Wichita Falls.

J. O. Casey returned this week from Waco where he has been attending the Masonic lodge.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Garvey visited relatives at Markley Friday and Saturday.

Charles and Clarence Keen, with their families, visited their sister, Mrs. Chas. Graham of Anarene from Friday till Sunday.

John Shearer and wife were shopping in town Saturday.

Claude Garvey and Will Gegg made a flying trip to Jean Saturday.

The Graham brothers with their mother moved to the Chas. Keen place north of town this week.

Well, St. Nick will soon be around and we will find out who has been good. Cupid.

If your subscription expires with this issue—renew at once.

Pleasant Hill.

Here I come again after a long week's absence, that seems more like a month than a week.

Say Plow Boy, you said "if I was obliged to be some kind of a kid (which I'm not) be Pleasant Kid at Pleasant Hill, or even Billy the Kid." Ha! ha! I'm not any kid at all, but only a school girl.

Grandpa and Grandma Laquey have been visiting their sons in Gilliland, Texas.

Lillian McNutt was shopping in Graham Friday.

Miss Cora Vines is at Orth visiting her cousins, Ed and Mariah Park.

Mr. Notah Pearce and wife visited her mother, Mrs. Ida Vines Saturday night and Sunday.

Mrs. Emily Rogers and son Luther were in Graham Friday.

Mr. Tom Richardson visited his brother last Wednesday.

Mr. Hub Rogers was in Graham Friday with—oh, excuse me! I didn't mean to tell-off on Hub.

Mrs. Lora Williams and family of True visited her mother, Mrs. Emily Rogers Sunday.

Miss Annie Thornton visited Cora Vines and Lillian McNutt the first of the week.

Well as news is as scarce as hen's teeth I will have to ring off and give some one else my place.

If anyone objects to my name this time I don't suppose I will write any more, for you know that gets anyone discouraged. Hyacinth.

(Now that's the right sort of name. Nothing about it to designate or indicate unhappiness or sorrow. It is an emblem of beauty, something to give pleasure, and we are sure not one of the Correspondents will object to so good a name as that.—Editor.)

Orth.

Mr. Patrick, living two miles north of Orth had the misfortune of getting his house burned the night of the 7th. He carried \$1300 insurance.

T. J. Routon is going to put in a store at Padgett.

Geo. Leberman spent a few days in Ft. Worth this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon and Mr. and Mrs. Bruce of near Jean were on the streets of Orth this week.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hustage, a boy.

Dan Keith and wife and W. S. Hustage went to Olney on the 11th.

Miss Phipps and Miss Dial of near Ingleside were shopping in Orth Thursday. Miss Phipps has a brother at work at Orth as assistant depot agent and postmaster.

G. W. Rux was moving to his new home this week.

Mr. Shirley White has become a regular fixed piece of furniture at Orth lately.

Mrs. Clint Burse and Mrs. John Blanchett have been visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gibbs.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Hustage and Mr. and Mrs. Sam Waters visited Mr. and Mrs. Gibbs last Friday.

M. E. Clark and sons visited the Ingleside ranch Saturday. They report that the carpenters are getting along well with the sheds. UNO.

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Henry Chapel.

More clouds, more rain and less sunshine makes more do-nothing and less work.

J. L. McLaren has completed a big barn, which adds much to the looks of the place and to the comfort of stock.

L. A. Lamar of Graford spent Monday night in the community. He says wheat and oats are almost knee high in Keechi Valley.

Our school is progressing nicely. The scholars seem to be learning rapidly.

Christmas is coming pretty soon, the women folks are all powerful busy sewing and by the time they get all their new dresses made and the old ones worked over we will have about the best looking bunch of women folks to be found anywhere.

J. F. Gilmore purchased a new piano last Saturday. Hurrah for you John, it's a good idea to have a tune once in a while to chase away the blues.

Louella Wade and Amanda Moren have a great admiration for birds, especially Martins.

H. L. Ribble and family visited E. K. Criswell Sunday.

P. L. Bower has moved to Connor, where he will live the coming year.

L. P. Moren had three bales of cotton ginned last Saturday which finished up the ginning.

Little E. B. Gilmore is suffering severely with rheumatism; we hope for him immediate improvement.

There will be a Christmas tree at the Chapel. Everybody come and be there at the roll call.

Dee Alford is expecting old Santa to bring him a hound pup to take the place of the one that drowned during the recent rains.

Lewis Anderson and family the Misses Chestnut and Miss Birdie Hogue of Finis attended the singing at the Chapel Sunday night.

Miss Edna Jarnagin spent Sunday night with Mrs. Sallie Criswell.

What was thought to be a serenade by the Graham band turned out to be Mr. Sealy's mules running away with the wagon on which he was hauling a galvanized iron cistern. They ran three miles right down the road and the sound was as a rushing mighty wind and it filled all the space in the country.

With best wishes I am the Dago.

Cedar Creek.

Killing hogs is the order of the day in this part of the world now. The weather is rather warm to save meat but feed is so high that most farmers can't afford to feed their hogs any longer.

B. P. Gann and B. P. Ritchey are chopping wood at the Corbett oil well. The well has shut down for the present.

Mrs. John Couger and Mrs. Lewis Barron were pleasant visitors at the school Friday.

Lila says she found a love letter concealed in her shoe box. Now Melvin we would advise you to burn your letters her after, for you know others than yourself might read them.

Yes, Homeite, you and I will certainly try to be present at the next reunion, for we want to see how good looking the other Correspondents are, if they look as nice as their letters do they are all o. k. aren't they?

Salemite, here are some res for you. Please accept them as a token of thanks for so many nice things you said in my behalf, thank you.

Lila Ritchey spent the 1st of the week with Mrs. R. L. Upham of lower Cedar.

Miss Pearl Frazier will live for Breckenridge Sunday attend the teachers' institute.

Mr. Editor, come down nd

see what large turnips we have in this community; you would think that you had stepped over the line into Arkansas.

B. P. Gann and wife visited their daughter, Mrs. E. L. Cret-singer Sunday.

The ladies of this vicinity are all engaged in sewing now, as most of them have purchased new sewing machines.

Well, it's 10 o'clock and the rest of the folks are in dream-land and everything is so still I've begin to fear the "fraids" will catch me, so I will toss my pencil on the table and run before I hear Hoot Owl coming. Silver Bell.

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Bryson.

It is nice to be able to see the sun once more, but do not get the impression that we are opposed to so much good rain. It is a pleasure to look out and see so much rain.

Mr. J. W. Kinder was at his place near Finis last Tuesday. He reports that part of the country as being in a damp condition.

Last Wednesday George Wier of Jermyn shipped a car of cattle from this place.

We understand that George Patterson has purchased for himself a motion picture outfit and will be doing business by Christmas in Bryson. He will also handle a line of Christmas goods.

Gip Jones made a business trip to Dallas last week.

Rev. Porter left Wednesday for Sanger, Denton county, where he has been appointed pastor for the coming year.

Mr. James Hayes, who has resigned his position in the Bryson State Bank and accepted the position as cashier of the Jacksboro National Bank, left Wednesday for Jacksboro. We regret to lose him as a citizen and friend in Bryson.

Mr. T. T. Stuart, former depot agent of this place has accepted the position as cashier of the Bryson State Bank.

Prof. C. B. Hogue went to Graham last Friday, Dec. 5th.

Our new depot agent, Mr. J. G. Marsh has taken up his duties at this place.

J. J. Sampley has bought the Widow Birdwell building, located just east of the bank.

Price McCoy is making preparations to begin baching the first of the year.

Mr. H. C. Shanafelt disposed of his farm west of town this week to Mr. Hester. The deal involved something like five thousand dollars.

Mr. Luther Jones came in last night from Dallas.

Haner and Pierce arrived in the city this week with two cars of stock cattle. They purchased the cattle off the Ft. Worth market.

Miss Ruby Stuart entertained last Friday night with a forty-two party. After playing several games the hostess served delicious chocolate and cake. Those present were: Misses Letha Jones and Ruby Stuart, Messrs. Marsh and Hogue.

Our school is progressing nicely under its efficient management. On account of the bad weather the attendance has been cut down a little; but as a whole it has been good.
Staff Reporter.

Proffitt

Walter Dent and aunt, Mrs. Cloud went to Graham Thursday.

Mr. Hudson left Saturday for Duncan, Oklahoma for a business trip.

Misses Maggie Weatherbee Birdie Dooley, Mack Pond, Fred Loftis and Homer Weatherbee called at the Hudson home Sunday.

Mr. Waldrige and son Charlie went to Newcastle Wednesday.

Miss Dora Dent and Mrs. Dusky Wells visited their mother, Mrs. Harmonson at Newcastle Thursday.

Higie Hudson and sisters, Misses Maud and Willie, called at the Weatherbee home Monday night.

Miss Mamie Sheridan has gone to Graham to spend the Christmas holidays with Miss Willie Garvin.

Mrs. W. M. Gibbs and daughter Bettie, visited Mrs. Cole on Thursday afternoon.

Miller Gibbs and wife visited Mrs. Willhoit Tuesday.

Mr. Tom Howard has put in a telephone. Snowflake.

Lone Oak

We had another shower Friday night. It looks real gloomy today. I do wish Old Sol would stay visible a few days anyway.

Isn't it alarming the way so many lives have been lost and the homes that have been destroyed by the floods in different portions of the state?

Mr. Riley Dollins, the road overseer, is having some good work done on the Graham and Farmer road now. It would soon be in good order if the people would quit "chasing" up and own it so much until it dries out.

The west bound freight train on the G. T. & W. had a wreck Saturday evening about seven o'clock just west of the crossing on the Graham and Farmer road. One box car ran off the track and was almost demolished. The track was torn up considerably for some distance. Aid was summoned and at 1:10 they were ready to continue the run.

Everybody is marrying now. Earl Haire and Miss Dicie Edwards of Shipola were married Sunday afternoon at the home of Rev. R. E. Boyle of this community. Who'll be the next?

Jack Ramsey of Red Top drug the road last Thursday. You know, I had never seen one of those "highfalutin" road drags and when I saw him pass I just supposed that some of our good friends had made a great invention and wanted everybody to see it. But our loyal friend, Happy Lucille, the "humorist," came along and told me what it was. Anyway the road is in good condition now.

Ulric McBride, who has spent the last three months in California returned last Friday.

J. C. Petty spent Sunday with R. E. Boyle and family.

Misses Emma and Amelia Walker and John Dossett visited at Bro. Boyle's Sunday.

Messrs. R. A. Petty, Rev. Boswell, R. G. Hallam and S. W. Lane of Graham were out hunting on the Stone Ranch Thursday.

J. C. Vaughan of Graham was here on business Thursday.

Well, well, Dago, you must have stirred a whole den of skunks or pole cats, whichever you choose to call them, as the air had a very rank odor this morning.

Leslie Willis was in our community Thursday evening.

Noah Cantwell and J. W. Pratt were seen carrying a half dozen chickens each, and when they were asked what they were going to do said they were going to have a chicken roast. Some of the ladies offered to cook them but Noah said he preferred his roasted.

Mrs. O. B. Garrett and baby visited Miss Laura Wall last week.

Misses Emma and Amelia Walker attended the fruit supper at Uncle Doc Slater's Saturday night.

Mrs. Arnold and children visited at C. C. McBride's Sunday.

Buster it is about time for you to write I think. I'll declare, what makes you play "hookey" so much? You must be a great business man—come on, we like your letters fine.

Ah! now Plow Boy, you're off your box again when you think every woman's answer is just "because," for the majority of them have far better reasons about things than the men have. The women are not the only ones who say "because" for Mr. Will was seen going toward Mr. Roberts a few days ago and when asked why, he replied: "just bekaws."

Well, I'll hand my pen to Silver Bell and skiddoo.
Brunette.

Give your copy of The Reporter to some friend who doesn't take it. He'll thank you.

Fish Creek.

How we are enjoying this warm sunshine.

Did you get drowned last week, Sorrel Top?

Honeysuckle I want to sanction what you said about Sunday night singings. If you can get everyone to realize the importance of co-operating with the teacher in all efforts to build up a school, then there will be "something doing" in the line of school work. You know people have what they want in a measure, therefore it behooves us to want the best. Let's work to that end, regardless of consequences, then every community will not be complaining about their schools.

Did I hear a great noise in the direction of Live Oak last week? Seems as though I have aroused things over that way. That is my mission, to arouse in a friendly way and to cause them to think. You know if you can just get people to think you have done at least some good.

There is to be a school entertainment at our school building Saturday night. A cake from every home of those who attend is expected. Lemonade and cake will be served free to all.

A special invitation is extended to Live Oak. Everybody is invited to come and enjoy themselves. If you haven't the "Christmas spirit" come and share it with us.

J. W. Holliday went to town Monday after lumber to build a smoke house.

Lewis Hayes has been on a hunt the past week and reports several wolves caught.

Miss Mabel Brock is visiting Mrs. Minnie Hamilton.

Mrs. Hilly is visiting her mother, Mrs. Mayben.

Mrs. Estella Braddock spent Tuesday with Mrs. Rosa Tyra. John Harty is visiting here.

Tom Price marketed cotton in Graham Friday.

Messrs. Tom Hamilton, Megginson, Claude Mayes and others were trading in Newcastle last week.

Mrs. Needham spent Wednesday evening with Mrs. Braddock.

Some good work was done on our roads Monday and Tuesday by the road hands.

W. E. Braddock and family were trading in Graham Saturday. They spent Saturday night with Mrs. Braddock's parents at Rocky Mound, returning here Sunday.

School Boy is going to get a week's vacation, as school will dismiss Friday until Dec. 29. Now boys and girls, let us have a jolly good time and celebrate Christmas in a way that will not reflect on our character.
School Boy.

Lower Tonk.

It seems like Jack Frost has come to stay for a while. We have had some pretty weather the past week. The sun has been shining most of the time.

Everybody is able to be up and going except Miss Emma Youngblood, who is still confined to her bed in a critical condition.

The community was saddened last Thursday by the death of Mr. Will Butler. The bereaved ones have our heartfelt sympathy.

Misses Eppie and Jewel Moore were at Graham Monday.

Miss Ida George visited John George Tuesday.

Pearl Lowery is able to attend school after several weeks sickness.

Mesdames J. F. Clark and Lee Jones and Miss Anna Bell Wadley attended the funeral of Mr. Butler Friday at Graham.

Messrs. A. H. Jones and sons and Joe Clark attended the funeral Friday.

G. W. Gowens went to Graham Friday.

Miss Eppie Moore spent last week at Mt. Pleasant visiting her brothers, Wiley and Hollis Moore. She reports a pleasant time while gone.

Hollis Moore spent Saturday night with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Moore in Briar Bend.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Wadley and Master J. T. spent Saturday night and Sunday visiting Wils Copeland on Cedar Creek.

Willie and Mr. Copeland went hunting Saturday night and caught two foxes. The dogs got after a fox and were chasing it around, the men were lying in wait for it. Willie saw it coming and hallowed shoot; bang! went the gun and lo and behold, it was a rabbit.

Mrs. W. E. Moore went to Mt. Pleasant to visit her sons, Hollis and Wylie Moore.

Rev. Suttle filled his regular appointment here Saturday and Sunday.

Rev. G. W. Black of Graham preached Sunday night.

Mrs. A. A. Timmons and Grandma Howard went to McCann Bridge Friday to visit John Timmons.

Lee Jones and J. F. Clark went to Newcastle Thursday and returned Friday.

Mrs. A. H. Jones spent Saturday night and Sunday with her daughter Mrs. John Timmons at McCann Bridge.

Mesdames Clark and Jones sold their turkeys Friday.

Joe and Sallie Timmons attended church here Sunday.

Bill Timmons and family took dinner with Miss Ida George Sunday.

J. R. McClanahan and family took dinner at Lee Jones Sunday.

Joe Timmons and Miss Ollie Phillips and Sallie Timmons dined with Mrs. Lee Jones Sunday.

Rev. Suttle took dinner at Grandma George's Sunday.

Sylvester Gowens has got to be U. S. Mail carrier for Tonk Valley.

Miss Luna Hardy is visiting Miss Anna Belle Wadley.

Jim McClanahan was all smiles Sunday. Wonder why?

Misses Mary Seddon and Zula George visited Grandma George Sunday afternoon.

Uncle Lummy Holden died at Glen Rose, Texas, the 2nd inst. He was an old-time resident of Tonk Valley.

Jim Jones and Fanny Cutshall were visitors at T. C. Wadley's Sunday afternoon.

Everybody be sure and send in your missives next week.

Grandma Wadley says she is having a hog killing time eating potatoes. X. Y. Z.

Hunt.

George Edwards and family spent a few days with Mrs. Edwards' father and mother last week.

Mr. Henderson moved to the Woolsey place the first of the week.

Mr. Butler is weatherboarding and painting the house where Mr. Henderson moved from.

Mr. Ross Davis and sister of New Mexico are visiting home folks at this place.

Mr. Clinton Brown and Miss Mable Thomas were married at the home of the bride's parents Thursday evening at 7:30, Rev. Roach officiating. A large number of friends and relatives attended the wedding. A nice supper was served after the ceremony. The best wishes of their many friends are extended this happy pair.

Mr. J. T. Brown gave the in-fair dinner Friday.

Mr. Chas. Howard is building a nice little house on his farm; looks kinder suspicious.

Singing at Mr. Deets Sunday night was fine. Rosebud.

Buy a Singer Sewing Machine from me, on easy terms. 9-20 C. E. Turner, Agt.

Notice to Farmers

Saturday will be the last day for ginning at the Graham gin. Bring Your Cotton Early

Graham Gin Co.

	55 INCH
1	46
2	48
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They consist of Men's, Women's and Children's shoes; all good shoes and cheaper than you ever bought them before in Graham.

We will also sell these same shoes on Saturdays in front of our store at auction to highest bidder

Now is the time to shoe your family at a small cost during this sixty days' sale.

We offer a Special Price for cash on everything in stock, consisting of Dry Goods, Shoes, Hats and Groceries. See us before you buy.

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A splendid program of thirteen numbers will be given at the High School Auditorium on Friday Evening, December 19,

By the pupils of Crabb's School of Music.

The public is cordially invited.

W. C. T. U.

Items for this column are furnished by local Union.

The following essay was written by a High School Graduate in response to a prize offered by the local W. C. T. U. As there were only two who responded the prize was not given, but this one deserved special mention and is reproduced for its instructive message.

Mrs. J. W. Akin.

The Value of Total Abstinence to a Life.

Miss Velma Martin

Not more than thirty years ago alcohol was considered a stimulant or tonic and was used freely without a question or doubt. Physicians of eminence and authors of text-books of that and of earlier periods urged that it was valuable as a food and indispensable in the treatment of disease and useful as a preventative.

Today physicians reject alcohol as a medicine and as a food. They do not use it as a preventative, but have shown that it is the cause of many diseases. They say the best way to prevent disease and preserve the life is to abstain from the use of alcohol in any form.

Even the ancients knew the destroying properties of alcohol and urged total abstinence. The old Grecian philosophers declared wine was a depressant, and never to be regarded as a stimulant, giving new powers and activities. Long before this the Egyptians formed the same idea of wine. Inscriptions have been found on the papyri and on the walls of the tombs of their monarchs. One of these, dating back over 7000 years, refers to wine as lowering vitality, shortening life, and driving out the spirit from its tenement, the body.

The greatest scientist of America, Brittan and Germany declare alcohol has no food value, and is particularly perilous to use in tropical climates.

Professor G. Sims Woodhead of Cambridge University says: "I am thoroughly satisfied that at every period of our lives we are very much better without alcohol, and that alcohol, even in so-called moderate doses has a distinct influence in shortening the lives of individuals who take it."

In addition to the inscriptions we have Plutarch's temperance testimony of the Egyptians. He says wine was strictly forbidden the rulers of Egypt. Sameticus, who ruled about 600 B. C. was the first Egyptian monarch known to have partaken of the fermented liquid. For a preceding period, embracing twenty-five dynasties, the Pharaohs, it is believed, observed total abstinence. For ages the Bedouins of Upper Egypt and eastern Soudan have been noted for their endurance and warlike powers. They have never been

thoroughly subdued and are now little more than nominally under Egyptian rule. They furnish a striking example of the benefit conferred by total abstinence. Referring to their extraordinary capacity for exertion a traveler has written that they endure all this with no other food than coarse bread and a few vegetables, and with nothing to drink beyond the indifferent water of the way.

One writer has said "a man is as old as his arteries." We know that the arteries are hardened by alcohol and that a man of twenty-five or thirty will be made an old man by the use of it. Shakespeare knew the same truth and taught it to the English people. He voices the total abstinence principle in "As You Like It." When the servant Adam says: "Though I am old, yet I am strong and lusty; For in my youth, I never did apply Hot and Rebellious Liquors in my blood; Therefore my age is as a lusty winter, Frosty, but kindly."

The clearest statements of the effect of alcohol and the value of total abstinence are given by the following men: Dr. Lorenz, the eminent Austrian surgeon said: "I am a surgeon. My success depends upon my brain being clear, my muscles firm, and nerves steady. No one can take alcoholic liquor without blunting these physical powers, which I must keep on edge. As a surgeon I must not drink."

Judge Ben. B. Lindsey, Judge of the juvenile court, Denver, Colorado, made these statements: "I believe that every boy and girl should be taught to avoid liquor in any form, as he would be taught to avoid poison in any form. The consumption of liquor, no matter how small a quantity, when taken in form of beer, wine, whiskey, etc. is simply another method of slowly poisoning the body. If we are going to get the best out of the youth of the nation, we must teach them to abstain from bad habits of every kind, and I think one of the most dangerous of all habits is that of occasionally tipping or drinking liquor in any form or shape; I have myself, become a total abstainer and I find it has been a very wise policy."

Thomas Edison, the great electrician said: "I never use alcoholic liquors, I always felt that I had a better use for my head."

We should also abstain from the use of another narcotic, tobacco. It produces diseases and causes ill-developed bodies, if used before the growth has stopped.

Tobacco contains a poison, nicotine, which irritates the nerves. It gives a false impression of soothing them. It seems to quiet the pain it causes, but when the effect passes the pain reappears.

Tobacco blunts the sense of taste, smell, sight, hearing and touch. It impairs the intellect and affects the heart, stomach, lungs and will power.

The use of tobacco leads to evil association and is a common stepping stone to strong drink.

Business men demand total abstinence on the part of their employees. They do this because they need men whose brains are in perfect condition, whose hands are firm and strong, whose eyes can see, and whose ears can hear.

They cannot use a boy or man whose brain has been put out of repair by alcohol or tobacco. They must have a brain that is a brain and businesslike.

Business men need eyes that have not lost their power to see by the use of alcohol, and ears that are keen and open and not muffled and dulled by drink. They also need hands that do not tremble and feet that do not stagger.

From these statements we

know that if we are to be healthy, and happy, we must fix upon total abstinence as a life principle.

READ THE RECORD.

In this day of progress the man who would succeed must be informed about the world's doings. The local paper gives him local information which is needful, but it can't cover the whole field. Hence the man who would keep step with the march of the times will take a general newspaper also.

The Ft. Worth Semi-Weekly Record has taken front rank among the great publications of the South and West. It is specially prepared for the reader who has not the time or the opportunity to read a daily paper.

First of all, it is a newspaper. The Record believes that the

people of the village are as interested in current events as the people of the city.

In the next place, it carries features suitable for all members of the family—women and children as well as men.

Last, but by no means least, the Record's editorial policy comprehends the economic welfare of the farmer and stock raiser. The Record is an acknowledged leader in the discussion of public questions in their relation to agricultural production.

In subscribing through this office you can get the Ft. Worth Semi-Weekly Record together with The Reporter, both papers one year for only \$1.75. Accept this remarkable offer today.

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Loans renewed. E. C. Stovall.

A Happy Christmas For Everybody!

A Holiday Stock That Is First in Variety and Quality and Fairest in Price.

Our beautiful display of gifts meets all requirements from first to last. We have a most complete assortment of presents that everybody appreciates—pleasing and beautiful, at the same time practical and useful. Every department is filled with fresh goods at fair figures. Come where there is a wide choice, a fine variety and a grand opportunity to get the best and most suitable gifts for young and old. Remember our up-to-date stock is in close touch with the times and anticipates your every want.

This Gift Guide is Presented to You to Help Make Your Gift Buying Easier.

How often have you wondered "What shall I give Mother?" and, in fact, everyone else. The problem very often becomes perplexing. Make your gift buying a real pleasure by consulting the gift lists here mentioned—then come to our store and make your selections.

Gifts for Women	Gifts for Men	Gifts for Children
Fur Coats	Umbrellas	Dolls
Fur Sets	Gloves	Toys
Fans	Handkerchiefs	Rocking Horses
Manicure Sets	Suspenders	Games
Perfumes (Bottles)	Smoking Sets	Mittens
Cut Glass	Neckwear	Gloves
Kimonas	Cuff Buttons	Dresses
Coats	Scarf Pins	Hosiery
Hosiery	Shirts	Coats
Gloves	Military Brushes	Shoes
Handkerchiefs	Mufflers	Ribbons
Umbrellas	Slippers	Sweaters
Combs		Baby Coats
Waists		
Neckwear		

And many charming and appropriate gifts that can not be here enumerated.

You will find our Christmas offerings are in harmony with your Christmas needs, our prices in harmony with your pocketbook. From inexpensive articles to more costly gifts, we offer for your selection the newest and best of the season.

Let us show you high-grade, strictly modern, fair priced Holiday attractions. All are invited. A hearty welcome, no matter whether you come to see or buy.

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Local and Personal Mention

8 per cent money. E. C. Stovall.

Louis Rubenkoenig came in from Dallas last Thursday to spend Christmas with the home folks.

I sell the Famous Singer Sewing Machines on easy terms. 9-20 C. E. Turner, Agt.

Dr. and Mrs. Perkins of Ennis, Texas, are visiting Dr. and Mrs. R. A. Duncan.

Crepe paper in Santa Claus and other patterns at Graham Printing Co.

J. Marion Burkett, who is attending A. & M. will spend the Christmas holidays with home folks.

13 bars soap for 25 cents. Owen Bros.

Mrs. Tennie McCowen of McKinney, Texas, is visiting in the city, guest of Mrs. Hunter.

Something new will be seen each week in my advertisements shown in this paper.

Don't fail to read them. J. L. Woods, Jeweler & Optician

Ward Spivey of Lakewood, N. M. is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Spivey.

Christmas Seals, Tags and Cards at Graham Printing Co.

Miss Lucille Miller, who will leave Christmas morning for Philadelphia to finish her studies in expression, will be succeeded in her class work by one of her friends. Miss Miller expects to return to Graham upon the completion of her course, which will be pleasing news to her many friends.

The best place to buy all your Fruits, Nuts, Candies, etc. for Christmas. W. I. Tidwell & Sons.

F. M. Berry paid The Reporter a call Monday. Mr. Berry is another one of Young county's progressive farmers who is going to give feterita a trial next year.

Team for Sale, cash or on time. Norris-Johnson Hdw. Co.

E. S. Graham made a trip to Moran Monday looking after oil interests there.

13 bars soap for 25 cents. Owen Bros.

Mr. and Mrs. N. Laquey of the Pleasant Hill community returned home last week from a visit to their sons at Gilliland, Texas.

You can't afford to wash when you can get it done for 3c a pound. Graham Steam Laundry.

Miss Lilla Belle Findley of Dakin was in the city Tuesday and paid The Reporter a pleasant call. She leaves Sunday for Ft. Worth to spend the holidays with relatives.

The best place to buy all your Fruits, Nuts, Candies, etc. for Christmas. W. I. Tidwell & Sons.

Harry Wadsworth returned Friday night from the opening of the new store by Street & Co. at Swenson. He reports having rain all over that section of the country.

Don't fail to see us when in need of anything in the furniture line. Matthews & Norris.

Miss Ruth Doty and Mrs. J. S. Criswell spent Saturday in Ft. Worth.

A. W. Kay, Mrs. Kay and Miss Mazelle Morrison went down to Ft. Worth Saturday to meet Mrs. I. T. Gilmer of Gulf Port, Mississippi, who came in to spend the holidays with her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. John E. Morrison.

Be sure and read my ads, found on pages 3 and 5 of this paper. J.L. Woods.

Charlie Gay made a business trip to Ft. Worth Saturday.

For Sale—Walnut Wardrobe, two plate mirror doors, two drawers; good as new; will sell cheap. See me at once. 111f. J. F. H. Crabb

G. A. Tackett left Saturday morning for a visit to Kaufman, Texas.

We have the largest stock of Furniture west of Ft. Worth. Let us figure on your bill. The John E. Morrison Co.

J. F. Martin of the Loving community is moving this week to Rio Vista in Johnson county. We regret to lose a good citizen like Mr. Martin from our county but feel sure that he will come back. They all do. However, The Reporter wishes him the utmost success.

A few gift books left. They are marked down to close out. Graham Printing Co.

S. Boyd Street is in Paducah on business.

Just received a car of new iron beds. See them before buying. Matthews & Norris.

Uncle Billy Higgins paid us a pleasant call Monday.

If you have a loan expiring see me at once. E. C. Stovall.

Mrs. Noel Cropp of Brownwood is in the city visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Cunningham.

From now on we will have two laundry wagons on Monday, if they don't get your laundry please call us. Graham Steam Laundry. Both Phones.

John Porter of Ft. Worth spent Saturday and Sunday in the city, a guest of John Graves.

Be sure and read my ads, found on pages 3 and 5 of this paper. J.L. Woods.

F. P. Brazelton of Farmer was here with cotton last week.

13 bars soap for 25 cents. Owen Bros.

Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Clark were made to rejoice Friday morning over the arrival of a fine 10½ pound boy.

Second hand church organ for sale. J. H. Price, 1315 Second hand Man.

Nice line of new cutlery at Matthews & Norris.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Corbett of Ivan were in the city Friday.

If our wagon don't call at your house for your laundry, please call us, we will send at once. Graham Steam Laundry. Both Phones.

Mrs. and Mrs. W. C. Harzell, Mr. and Mrs. Cleveland Ellis and Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Lisle of Newcastle were in the city on Monday night to see the show.

Loans renewed. E. C. Stovall.

A Good Show On.

Angell's Comedians at the Opera House this week are delighting Graham's show goers, not only with excellent shows, but with specially good music. The musical program each night is different and every number played brings applause. The company announces a feature bill for tomorrow Friday night in "Ishmael," an exceptionally fine play, and we feel sure they will make good their guarantee of giving a performance that will more than please. If you enjoy a good show and extra good music, take in the show at the Opera House this week. Announcement is also made of a vaudeville performance Saturday afternoon after the free picture show.

3 per cent money. E. C. Stovall.

W. H. Clarida and son Forrest of Farmer were in the city Monday.

Toilet Paper Rolls at Graham Printing Co.

Mrs. Jim Allen and little son, J. B. of Ivan visited Mrs. Allen's mother, Mrs. L. E. Gilmore Thursday and Friday.

Rugs, matting, linoleum, stair carpets, etc. at Matthews & Norris.

Price and Comer have purchased the restaurant recently opened by Todd & Wilson and we bespeak for them a successful business.

Queensware for sale. Matthews & Norris.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Melton of South Bend were trading in the city Friday.

Paper Napkins, 15 designs and patterns at Graham Printing Co.

Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Anderson of Finis were in Graham Friday, shopping.

For cheap money on land apply to Arnold & Arnold.

Mesdames Attie Allen, Andy Allen and Hattie Milam of Ivan spent the first of the week in the city, guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Johnson.

Loans renewed. E. C. Stovall.

A child of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Moore of Loving died Tuesday and was buried at Center Ridge yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Rose will spend the holidays in Corsicana. They will be accompanied upon their return by Mrs. Elliott.

Rev. W. M. Higgins will conduct religious services at Salem on next Thursday, Dec. 25, and extends an invitation to all to come out.

Miss Emma Youngblood died Tuesday at her home in Lower Tonk Valley. She had been sick for the past three months, and was operated on Tuesday morning, but was too weak to rally. The remains were laid to rest in the Tonk Valley cemetery yesterday.

Linen Toy Books. Just the thing for a Christmas gift for the little ones. Marked down to close out. Graham Printing Co.

Story Books for Gifts. Buy one while the stock is complete. Marked down for the Holidays. Graham Printing Co.

CHRISTMAS

Before you buy your Christmas goods come and see them 11-13 at SNODDY'S.

...Christmas Gifts...

You should see our big stock of the following goods, which make appropriate and practical Gifts for Christmas.

For Ladies

Printzess Coats and Suits
"Queen Quality" Fine Shoes
Silk and Lisle Hose
Fine Kid Gloves
Pure Linen Handkerchiefs
Leather Hand Bags
Fancy Neckwear
Silk Kimonas
Fine Cotton Kimonas
Bath and Lounging Robes
Auto Hoods
Linen Towels
Linen Napkins
Linen Table Cloths

For Gentlemen

Fine All-wool Suits
Stylish Overcoats
"Stetson" Hats
"Arrow" Dress Shirts
New Style Ties
Silk and Lisle Hose
Leather Bags
Leather Suit Cases
"Florsheim" Shoes
Jersey Sweaters
Fine Leather Gloves
Knit Gloves
Linen Handkerchiefs

For Boys

Suits Neckties Shirts
Overcoats Sweater Jackets Good Shoes

We are offering Special Bargains in all Departments and guarantee to save you money on every purchase.

S. B. Street & Company

A Good Ranch Proposition.

Eight sections in West Texas, to sell or trade for Young county property. An unusual bargain. \$2.50 per acre. Good land, well located, near two railroads. H. L. Morrison. 1314

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Your laundry one week, then take the cost of wood, soap and water off, and see how little it would cost you at 3c a pound, then call The Graham Steam Laundry. Both Phones.

Want Ads

Irrigated Farm For Sale.

The 400 acre stock farm, known as the Benedict-Ranch, on the Clear Fork, 13 miles southwest of Graham. For further particulars see the owner. 7*tf. W. E. McCharen, Eliasville, Tex.

For Sale—Two sulky plows, three cultivators; all in fair condition. Call and examine these on my farm, Lower Tonk. G. W. Gowens, 10-14 Graham, Texas.

A few brood mares and geldings for sale, also some young jacks. For prices apply to W. E. Moore.

I have a complete stock of Watches, all kinds, grades and sizes, which I am offering for sale at Bargain Prices to any one who wants the right kind of a time piece, with the right kind of a guarantee. Come and let me show you. J. L. Woods, Jeweler and Optician.

For Sale—Young Jersey cow with heifer calf, three weeks old, good milker. W. W. Sparks, 13* Bunger Route.

For Sale or Trade—Cheap, a combined course in Draughon's Practical Business College. Good at any of their schools. Burl L. Martitt, 13 at Graham Tailor Shop.

Candy Special Saturday

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in Fancy One-pound Boxes, Regular Fifty Cent value, Saturday,

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