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GRAHAM, TEXAS, FRIDAY, AUGUST 13, 1915.

Number 46

DGETT IS SUED FOR \$12,000.00

CASE TO BE HEARD IN DIS-TRICT COURT NEXT MONTH

Suit has been filed in the District Court against I. B. Padgett, former county treasurer of this County, and his bondsmen, for the sum of \$12,000.00 alleged to be due the county by Padgett.

The suit is the plaintiff's first amended original petition, in lieu of its original petition, which was for \$25,900.00 filed in the District Court last March, which was continued to this term and the amount reduced.

The petition alleges that thru the negligence of Padgett, E. W. Fry, while county judge of this county, was enabled to secure the sums so sued for, and that the payments thus made to Fry constituted a breach of his official bond.

The suit is based on about 145 warrants, said to have been cashed by E. W. Fry, and made to fictitious persons and to others who had performed no service for the county.

The defense in their answer, which is filed with the District Clerk, deny all the allegations set up, and by way of cross-action allege that the Graham National Bank, and sureties on its ond, as county depository, would be liable to the county if any moneys have been wrongfully appropriated, since the bank was the county depository, and became responsible for the ney wrongfully appropriated, Ho ... on account of the failand are bank to "pay out of Clarery's funds the amounts

home ich checks were drawn myndid fund by the county Murer, to the persons named said checks, or on their orders and genuine endorsements, and to no other persons; but that instead of doing this, these defendants charge, in the event the warrants were invalid, as alleged by plaintiff, that said bank misappropriated said funds and was guilty of negligence and a breach of duty as the depository of said county in paying the moneys of said county to said Fry or to any other person not authorized to receive the same, if said Fry or other persons were not authorized to

The answer names Chas. Gay. W. Akin, R. J. Johnson, Cicero Smith (deceased) and S. R. Crawford as sureties for the bank from 1911 to 1913, and the above named and F. P. Burch, W. O. Clark and R. E Lynch as sureties from 1913,

collect same."

Celebrates 73rd Birthday.

many years Graham's postmas- by all those who so thoughtfully on each car. The company has no profit sharing for cars delivter, celebrated his 73rd birth- shared our grief. For all those sold over 300,000 new cars ered during August, Septemday at his home last Tuesday hours of watching with us, for within the time specified, and ber and October, 1915." afternoon.

ningham there were present, from neighbors and the assist- mailed to the 300,000 and more Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Matthews, ance of the entire community, buyers of Ford cars during the Mr. and Mrs. Cornish and we want to express our heart- year ending July 31, 1915. daughter, Annie, Edgar Mat- felt thanks. You have cheered This profit sharing with re- with reckless extravagance. thews and family and Ben Cun- us in our sorrow, helped us in tail purchasers was not intend- When did I ever make a useless ningham. An hour of social our trying hour of need, and ed by the company to be under-purchase? chat was enjoyed, after which made us feel anew the value of stood as having anything to do delightful refreshments of sand- friends. May God richly re- with price reduction, but was wiches, pickles, ice tea, grape ward you every one. juice, and Mr. Cunningham's favorite plain cake were served.

Judge B. F. Thorp Passes to Beyond.

The entire town and community was shocked last Friday morning when it was learned that Judge B. F. Thorp was probably nearing the end of life's journey. His death occurred at the family residence about five o'clock Saturday morning.

Judge Thorp had been ill fo several months, but a portion of the time he was attending the duties of his office: Though he had been suffering with a deathly malady (leakage of the heart) for some time, he, and his family and friends had hoped for a recovery. About three weeks ago he was stricken to a critical condition, but was much better within a few days. Thereafter his condition was much improved until Wednesday of last week when the malady again reached a critical stage. Throughout Thursday, Friday and Friday night physicians, relatives and attending friends did all that human hands could do to combat the disease but to no avail.

The funeral services occurred at the Baptist church about six o'clock Saturday afternoon. The services were conducted jointly by Revs. W. H. McCulloh, W. (Childress, and F. A. Suttle .-Throckmorton Times.

Roy Barron Hurt.

Roy Barron, son of Mrs. Louisa Barron of this city, who he was hitching to a wagon nawed him, frracturing his left farm and brought him to Grato be out in a short time.

Woman's Missionary Union.

Program of Woman's Missionry Union to be held with the Bunger church Oct. 30th. 1915. Opening hour 10 a. m.

Song-Prayer.

Denying Self or Christ?-Mrs. S. R. Jeffery; Mark 8: 34-38.

Enlisting the Young Ladies Miss Lizzie Sparks.

Woman's Work .- Mrs. J. E. Dowdle. The Importance of Reporting

he Quarterly Report.—Mrs. W. . Hightower. Consecration. — Miss India

Newman.

Answering to the Roll Call with a verse of scripture.

Music Committee-Mrs. English, Newcastle; Miss Sybil Hunt company's business. Olney; Mrs. R. V. Tidwell, Graham; Mrs. G. B. Underwood. Loving.

A Card of Thanks.

Besides Mr. and Mrs. Cun- pathy and deeds of kindness ing checks of \$50 each will be

Mr. and Mrs. Will Nisbett. John Nisbett.

Community Co-Operation

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community welfare work."

community welfare and devel- town." partially correct as stated.

tention a few days ago.

community, said: "Inasmuch tomer."

One of this county's largest as we are the largest corporabankers made the statement not tion in our town we feel it our long ago that "the small-town duty to take the lead in every Norris, after which prayer was Each guest, on entering, was banker is in position to render movement for the good of the his community a most valuable locality. We are the largest service if he will recognize and subscribers to the local chamtake advantage of the oppor- ber of commerce, civic improvetunity by doing his full part in ment funds, etc., and never fail conversation, when unexpected- two and bunco afforded pleasto have the bank represented in ly Dick Williams came in with ure for the guests, also music His statement elicited an ex- every local improvement cam- a sumptious supply of delicious by Mrs. Self. pression from one of our small- paign. We also make it a rule ice cream. To say the least, Mrs. Fred Arnold won high town bankers to the effect that to take as much or more ad- this was a pleasant surprise to score, a set of Harrison Fisher a large majority of small-town vertising space in our local pa- us, and when we learned that it pictures, and Miss Kate Cochbanks really do more to retard pers than anyone else in the was our true and tried friend, ran, in a cut with all present,

his idea concerning a bank's du- remember and appreciate this with us. ties and its obligations to the when he becomes a large cus-

ued-300,000 Checks for \$50 to Be Sent Buyers.

has been living on their farm make an important announce- cumulated profits of the Ford near Ivan, was seriously hurt ment in a flat reduction in the company's business; in other last Friday when a young mule price of their car, coupled with words, the company voluntarily guarantee against any further vidual car, because the buyer of shoulder blade. Mrs. Barron reduction within a year, they such car was expected to give went with a physician to the cannot give assurance that the assistance in helping Ford Motor price may not be advanced at Company achieve an exceedingham. He is improving nicely, any time. This is in harmony ly large number of sales. He and with good luck will be able with the aggressive and yet had no right, nor has any buyer "after service."

> the annual output of cars runs as a reserve against possible into hundreds of thousands, the future contingencies. most dependable information The \$50 profit sharing check and reliable facts are absolute- will be mailed in August to 300, conditions governing manufac- ment: "Our plan to profit

the many expressions of sym- beginning Aug. 15, profit-shar-

will and appreciation of the as- ago; we've never used it once .sistance such owners would give Boston Transcript.

sell the 300,000 cars. This of Fitzhugh Lee Chapter U. D. Profit-Sharing Plan Discontin- sharing of profits with retail C. and have the same placed in the unit profit, and having noth- can be made to have the picture The Ford Motor Company ing whatever to do with the acthe statement that while they shared the profits on the indicareful policy of the Ford com- of a Ford car any right to share efforts are continually devoted the company. These accumu- day afternoon. to annual price reductions con- lated profits are reserved and sistent with the maintenance of used by the company for the their established high standard extension of its business, for votional exercises, using the 86 of quality and efficiency and the further enlargement of its Psalm as the basis of her repowers in the production of still To maintain this policy when greater volumes annually, and

ly necessary to guide the com- 000 and more buyers of Ford pany in its efforts in controlling cars during the past year, and the costs in production, and it is not in the nature of a bonus is but natural that a period or price reduction, but is remust be reached when the cost ciprocal evidence of good will.
of production will have reached In the present announcement, it's lowest limit. Therefore, the the Ford company makes the question of materials and the following very frank stateturing must be well in hand to share with retail purchasers of safeguard the stability of the Ford cars during 1914-15 has been most successful. We thor-· Last year a flat reduction of oughly believe in it, but realiz-\$60 in price was given and a ing the uncertainty of condifurther inducement made that, fions generally makes it adviscontingent upon the company able to defer any announcement selling 300,000 new Ford cars at of future profit sharing until a retail during the twelve months, later date. We are, however, In our anxious watching and they would profit share with confident of our inability to reprofound sorrow we have been the purchasers of such cars to duce the costs for several Mr. J. T. Cunningham, for greatly helped and strengthened the extent of from \$40 to \$60 months and therefore can offer

Real Extravagance.

Husband-You charge me

Wife-Why, there's that fire given as an evidence of good extinguisher you bought a year

U. C. V. Meeting.

to order by Lieutenant A. O. ust 25th.

ness before the Camp, a few presented to the bride-to-be. moments were spent in general Progressive games of forty-Judge Stinson, who had re- won a bottle of toilet water. opment than they do to pro- He further stated that "When membered us in this manner, The prizes were presented to mote them. This is a most la- a small borrower needs from we were more than pleased, the honoree. mentable condition even if only ten to thirty dollars for a short from the fact, that we have for After delicious refreshments time we charge him the same years past, regarded him as one of ice cream and cake were Many bankers consider their rate per cent per annum on his of our truest and best friends, served, the many pretty gifts banks institutions for commu- loan that we would if he bor- In fact, we know that he is. A were shown. nity service and conduct them rowed \$25,000 or more. We vote of thanks was tendered Many useful gifts to a bride accordingly. A splendid exam- treat the small customer as lib- Judge Stinson for this kind re- and housekeeper were left by ple of this class came to my at- erally as the large one, thus membrance. Tax Collector, Hy. her friends. Those present: making him feel that no ad- Groves and Rev. B. F. Weir Misses Kate and Willie Coch-The president of a bank in a vantage is being taken of him honored us with their presence ran, Lena Humble, Myrtle Walsmall town, when asked as to because he is poor. He will and they too enjoyed ice cream lace, Annie Lewis, Kathleen and

In conclusion, the writer Kate Fields; Mesdames Virgil wishes to state that it is the Tidwell, Fred Arnold, B. W. intention of our Camp to have King, S. E. Hunter, Ben Self. FORD CUTS PRICE OF CAR the company in helping it to a picture made of the members J. L. Flint and the honoree. purchasers should be further the Confederate Veteran; and understood as being a part of it is hoped that arrangements

> Respectfully. F. Herron, Adjt.

Baptist Missionary Society.

The kindness of Mrs. Miller sending her car with Miss Berenice, as chauffeuse, made it possible for a large number of women and children to attend the Missionary Society, which pany, whose desire and earnest in the accumulated profits of met with Mrs. Stewart Thurs-

The president being absent Miss Lean Stewart led the demarks.

Although the weather was oppressively warm Mrs. Roland Voules succeeded in holding the attention of all and conducted a most interesting lesson from Deuteronomy. Mrs. Rickman's letter to the Association was read and adopted.

Mrs. McLendon's departure was hoted and the Society paid many loving tributes to her for her cheerfulness, faithfulness and untiring efforts to benefit others.

Further business dispensed with, the social hour was very profitably spent in piecing a quilt. Mrs. Stewart having the pieces cut they were soon trans formed by the fifteen ladies into a beautiful cover.

quested to be present.

Reporter.

Christian Endeavor.

Topic: "Faithfulness Ideals." Acts 26:12-19. Leader-Mr. H. L. Tidwell. Stability of Purpose, I. Cor. 7:20-24.—Clyde Birdwell. Our Ambition, Rom. 1:13-17, ery question." -Fay Martin.

:8-16.—Romie Martin.

1-16.—Bro. Evans.

Christ Ideal. Isa. 11:1-10.-Mary Martin.

Miscellaneous Shower.

Young County Camp No. 127 Mrs. J. L. Flint entertained. U. C. V. met in regular session Wednesday afternoon from 4 to at Judge Stinson's office last 6 o'clock with a miscellaneous Saturday afternoon. Twelve shower for Miss Jennie Bell members of the Camp were Hunter, who is to be married present. The Camp was called to Mr. Andrew J. Bullock Aug-

offered by Comrade J. W. Still. requested to write her name in There being no special busi- a pretty guest book, which was

Leah Stewart, Mae Hunter and

LES HIBOUX.

Mrs. E. C. Stovall entertained the Friday Bridge Club Friday afternoon, with four tables in play.

After playing four games the hostess, assisted by Mrs. Will Norman, served an ice course. Mrs. Fred Arnold won the high score prize, a pretty piece of crochet. Mrs. Gay won the cut prize, a box of stationery.

Members present: Mesdames Parrish, Arnold, Norman, Gay Fowler, Hutchison, Q. Stre H. Wadsworth, Criswell; Mis Bladen Garrett, Zella Allen, othy Graham, Agnes Craig. lian Manning. Invited gu-Misses Nelle Graham and I

County Judge Appointed.

Commissioners' Court 'met last Monday in special session and appointed A. H. Kink to fill the vacancy of the office of County Judge, caused by the death of Judge Thorp.

Mr. King is well known to the people of the county, he having served the county both as Assessor and County and District Clerk for a number of years, and having been engaged in an extensive real estate trading business here for the past four or five years.-Throckmorton

Making Him Feel at Home.

"We are to entertain a dis-The Society adjourned to tinguished Russian visitor this meet in two weeks for a mis- evening. What can I do to sionary meeting. All are re- make him feel perfectly at

"I don't know, unless when it comes time for him to go you let him out by the back door and wish him a safe retreat." te - Detroit Free Press.

Two Sides.

"There are two sides to ev-

"Friend," replied Broncho A Man that Succeeded. Dan. Bob, "there's only two sides to a deck o' cards, a top side and A Man that Failed. Jonah 1:- a bottom side, but that ain't no call to assume that one is as good as the other."-Washington Star.

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Weather for August.

1st to 2nd, hot and sultry; 3rd to 5th, rain; 6th to 8th, of our community because I cooler; 9th to 12th, cloudy, rain; haven't the reports on hand. 13th to 14th, cooler; 15th to moving north; 23rd to 26th, and pleasant.

We Must Get Busy Now if This Year's Cotton Crop Is Not to Be Sacrificed.

When those who control the money of the South call for pass out of the hands of the oats on 7 acres

speculators and spinners are ried away some three or four lins was working to see him be-"viewing with alarm" the large acres, threshed about 900 bushstocks of cotton on hand and els of wheat. On 25 acres of they may be depended upon to oats he threshed 1000 bushels; the treatment accorded the men use this argument to hammer 740 bushels of this was grown down the price of cotton so on a patch which only required long as the 1915 crop is in the 13 bushels to sow it. If any one by withing three hundred miles

ds of the producer. even cents a pound, that about it. export more than four or bushels. million bales. Since Janu-

what these partisan experts the acre. predicted we would export.

in cotton, or spins cotton is wheat made 32 bushels per large stocks now in sight, be averaged 58 bushels per acre. low this fall. We have no not reported. producer can in some way be above the average. saved from the necessity of Mrs. D. W. Beard and chilselling cotton to pay debts, re- dren, and Mrs. R. G. Taylor and gardless of its price, as he has little tots, visited at the home always had to do in the past.

If ever the South needed lead- ternoon. No Government aid of material all in Graham Friday. value need be counted on, nor Mesdames G. W. McComas. will the bankers, cotton factors. Rhea Cox and children visited and speculators give any real at the home of E. G. Williamassistance to the vast majority son Thursday. of producers. If any thing is Lena and Grace Taylor spent done to save us from the losses Friday night with Miss Mary of last fall and obtain what the Beard. crop of 1915 is really worth, Rhea Cox and family of Newconsidering supply and demand, castle visited at the home of G. it must be done by the general W. McComas a few days last location for Mr. Barker. business interests of the South week. and the cotton producers. Shall we permit schemes like the home Friday, after spending Wade fund of last year and the some weeks at the home of A. J. false hope of Government aid, Bryan near Dakin. She was homa, where he attended a three ter.

WEST TEXAS REPORTER which will never come, to induce us to do nothing until it is too late? Is it not possible for 35 the South to save itself from the errors and losses suffered in the past, by some means that will organize or combine her resources, which are ample to finance the marketing of the

INDIAN MOUND

cotton crop, if united and used

I intended to give a few oats and wheat reports last week, but I was too busy to write. see Indian Mound appeared just the same.

I will give a few reports this week as best I can. It will be impossible to give a full report,

W. W. Hoggard's wheat on 17th, rain; 18th to 21st, pleas- the G. M. James farm was ant; 22nd, cyclone from Gulf counted 181/2 bushels to the acre on 135 acres and tested 59 rain, cooler; 27th to 31st, warm pounds to the bushel. Mr. Hoggard sold his wheat for \$1.10. 20 acres of oats made 1200 bushels. He also had about 250 bushels of oats and Barley.

G. W. McComas, on 110 acres of wheat made 1870 bushels; on 45 acres of oats he made 1890

W. P. Fisher made 12471 the payment of debts, probably bushels of wheat on 60 acres. 70 per cent of our cotton must He also made 3471/2 bushels of

W. N. Fisher, on 45 acres, took the train for Newcastle, Already the cotton buyers, after the high water had car- then came out to where Mr. Dolknows of 13 bushels of seed pey told us last fall, when oats making over 740 bushels in was down between six Young county please tell us

ald not stay there, much Reece Easterling, on 150 acres to higher, because we would of wheat, made about 2000

E. G. Williamson made ar 1 we have exported more average of 20 bushels of wheat ton than ever before, and to the acre on something like r the year will export about 100 aeres. He also made an as much as last year and double average of 57 bushels of oats to

W. W. Williamson, on about The same old game already 100 acres, made an average of begun, and nearly every man 26 bushels of wheat to the who handles cotton, speculates acre. Twenty acres of this very much concerned about the acre. Thirty-five acres of oats

cause, as he says, he fears (?) J. S. Fisher made about 760 there will be so much carried bushels of wheat and about over that cotton will again sell 1075 bushels of oats; acreage

doubt but it will sell below its These grain reports are not value, because of this and other all taken from the largest crops similar arguments, unless the but we believe they are a little

of G. W. McComas Friday af-

ers it is now, to induce all in- G. W. McComas and son terests to combine to properly John, W. W. Hoggard, Richard market the 1915 cotton crop. Douglass and Austin Bird were

Aunt, Nancy Bryan returned

D. Bird and wife of Ingleside section. visited their son, Austin, from Friday until Sunday.

Miss Jean Bryan is visiting mett's last week. her aunt, Mrs. Horace Busch of Tonk Valley.

H. H. Stephens, wife and little daughter, Mildred, called at Miss May Eperson last week. the home of R. G. Taylor Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. R. G. Taylor and little Mr. Bolen's Sunday. tots called to see the sick baby at Dee James' Saturday eve.

The baby of Dee James was urday night. very sick Friday afternoon. The it is getting along very well.

day morning. W. P. Fisher and children

at the home of W. W. Hoggard from Friday until Sunday. W. W. Hoggard and F. C. lock of Archer county.

Borchardt were callers at Newcastle Saturday afternoon. Miss Lena Dollins was in Gra- lock.

ham Sunday.

Bryan called at B. W. Drum's week. and R. G. Taylor's Sunday af-

Sunday school was rather small Sunday, but when we all cil. get through threshing and get rested we hope to have much better attendance.

Mr. Huckaby, of Cedar Springs is here prospecting, and visiting his son, Ira, and family. He was here when our last report was sent in but we failed to know it. Mr. Huckaby has a relative here from Blanket, Texas visiting and working with Dollins' road grading

Mr. Buster, one of the convicts working under Riley Dollins near Graham last year, received his pardon last week and fore leaving for his home. He by Mr. Dollins while here and said he could not afford to go

of Riley and not go to see him. Mrs. Ira Huckaby and baby visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Dollins, Monday:

We only lacked the grain crop of H. H. Stephens of being done threshing when we were showered out Monday afternoon.

We heard there was a wedding between here and Jean Sunday, and as it is nearer your station, Buster, than it is mine, come on and report it.

Bashful Ben, you failed to give us that good grain report Kid.

MOUNTAIN HOME

Well, a nice rain would be appreciated by all.

nicely in this community. Cot- his watermelons off. ton is doing fine.

The people of this community have decided to build a new turned home from Graham Sunschool house. They have got day, the old one torn down and are preparing to build the new one. ed Misses Trimble Sunday morn-They have employed Green Ken- ing. nedy of Graham to do the work and he will begin work Monday.

returned from Archer county. Mr. and Mrs. Wayms of Comanche county are visiting the latter's sisters, Mesdames Bolen maize for G. W. Wiley Monday. and Evans.

Eve Hampton returned to his more so I'll skip. Azure Skies, home in Bellevue Thursday.

Messrs, George Barker, Claud and Weezie Derrick, with their families, left this week for the western counties to look for a

at Bryson Saturday.

He reported fine crops in that

Mr. and Mrs. John McCune and family visited at Mr. Grum-

Mrs. Sam Brock and children visited Mrs. Robbins last week

Quite a crowd of young people enjoyed a kodaking party at

Alvin Robbins and son, Earl, attended church at Bryson Sat-

George Bolen, L. N. Shawn, doctor was called to see it and Alvin Robbins, Tom Barry, John Wayms, Bob Chaddick, John Will Grubbs called at the McCune of this community athome of W. W. Hoggard Sun-tended Big Monday at Jacks

Mrs. Matlock and family, Mr took dinner at F. C. Borchardt's and Mrs. Crumpton visited D. S. Massengale of the Rockland Dee James and family visited community Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Jones are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Sid Mat

Miss Joe Lewis spent Saturday evening with Miss Ora Mat-

Misses Minnie Fisher and Ivy are visiting at Bridgeport this

Lum Crumpton went to Bryson Saturday evening.

Thanks, Yank, for your pen-Gray-eyed Girl.

NORTH MIDWAY

Gee whiz! Hasn't it been hot Rain is needed now on cotton and late feed stuff. It looks this morning as though it might

Health is not so good at this

three daughters, Misses Ethel, BENEFIT and the benefit of Fay and Edna, have the small-

the smallpox the past week. Master Austin Jones has the

John and Tom Trimble have been working with the union thresher the past, week.

tertained a jolly crowd of the ters of deep concern the coming youngsters Sunday afternoon, year. Ice cream and cake were served for refreshments.

Arthur Jones went to Califor

nia Sunday. Misses Sophia and Joe Quisenberry visited their sister at Newcastle Sunday.

Merritt Cunningham has moved his thresher from True to

the Proffitt country Eddie Evitt was up at Padgett

George Evitt and Wesley Young left home Sunday morning and said they were going to the land of nowhere. I think they came back Sunday evening.

G. W. Wiley and wife are visiting relatives at Woodson this week.

George Quisenberry says the Everything is progressing sneaking crows are carrying all

George Clifton has gone to The thresher is in this vicin- work with P. G. Cunningham's

thresher. Miss Annie Lee Norris re-

Miss Velma Weilenman visit-

Gander, the reason I looked so sad was, the folks at home had Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Jones have just killed a big fat rooster for Sunday dinner and I knew]

wouldn't get any of it. J. W. Carroll and son headed I haven't time to write any

Span of Mules for Trade.

A span of average size mules, will trade for a 2 or 5 passenger car, Ford or like size. Must be Mr. and Mrs. Plaster visited of late type and in first-class condition. No rattle-trap want-Elder John Matlock has re- ed. Leave description and offer turned from Junction City, Okla- with the Editor of The Repor-

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We can realize that this is summer for the past few days have been warm enough to fry eggs in the sun without any

Messrs. Baty, Blount, Whitfield and Logan have been attending the meeting at Bryson. Miss Ethel Baty left Saturday for Springtown, where she will visit her brother.

Mrs. Whitfield and daughters visited Miss Jennie Craig Thursday afternoon.

Mr. Baty was a caller at Mr. Whitfield's and Mr. Craig's Sunday afternoon.

Grundy Walker is visiting getting scarce in places. Mrs. Logan and family.

Sunday afternoon. callers at Mr. Burns' Friday still sick. right and enjoyed cream with Mrs. Dee McPherson's sister, week. quite a number.

Misses Whitfield were shop- returned home.

ping in Graham Monday. Craig, Roberts, Creagh and Mineral wells.

and are doing some good work, son went to Mineral Wells Mon- Wednesday. Clarence Blount visited at day after peaches. myn Sunday night.

in this community last week.

Trixie, I saw you at church. visit to her sister. to be 18.

I talked to our old Corres- Weldon's.

pondent, Red Wing, last week. it would rain soon. It has been girl to the watermelon patch Loving Monday morning. trying for several nights and I ask Robert, Grant or Oran. hope we get a good rain soon.

Mr. Editor, come out and eat eve with Mrs. Layton. watermelons and peaches. Carrie Nation.

their pencil I will come again Mr. and Mrs. Boyce. and tell the news around the

DAKIN

and was carried to his father's are the guests of Mr. Bridges. lose these estimable people from hope Rock Creek beat. The one day last week. While he is Miss Lula and Oran Bridges our midst but wish them much teams were composed of small no better at this writing, we made a flying trip over to Oran happiness and prosperity hope to learn of his improve- Tuesday, after their uncle and their new place of abode, ment soon.

ily visited in Bryson Saturday supper Wednesday night. There

Friday night from a visit to a fine time. her sister on the river.

mother the last of the week.

srs. Bryan and Reed over the her cousin, Mrs. Hugh Bailey. list. loss of their separator. There I guess there will not be The Baptist meeting began 900 acres near Olney that I am were several in this community much more to tell about the oil Saturday night. The meeting is offering for sale in small tracts

at Mr. Bryan's Sunday.

J. M. Garrett visited Mr. Mr. McFadden took a load of A. Sims'.

Moore in Bryson one day last wheat to Graford today (Fri-

Vick with the thresher.

city last week.

Several of the boys were out visiting a few days.

fishing Saturday afternoon. cane on his place near town in our midst Saturday. Dandy Lee.

LUCILLE

Still dry and warm. Rain all passed around. Stock water is

I want to correct a mistake Miss Capitola Walker return- in my letter of last week in ed home Sunday, after a seven which I stated that the Doan's J. Whitfield were in Graham that Grandma Doan could not a horse falling with him. stand the trip so did not go.

who has been visiting her, has

Messrs. Whitfield, Blount, are visiting in Palo Pinto and Top.

our community Monday. Mr. Lester and son were out . Miss Mandy Layton has re- noon. turned home, after a two weeks'

guess at your age. I guess you Monnie Bridges, Bessie and Bon- Dewey Harris last Sunday.

If any one would like to know day last week. It has been looking as though how to fix a way to take their

Mrs. Cooper spent Tuesday

this writing. Dave Teague's mother is visiting him at present.

visiting friends and relatives. Mr. Walker is seriously sick Mr. and Mrs. Jones of Oran time this month. We regret to how the game came out but

Leonard Chambers and fam- Hugh Bailey gave a cream was a large crowd present and Miss Hattie Reed returned plenty of cream. Every one had

A. Storm went to Mineral the first of the week. Mrs. A. J. Bryan visited her Wells Wednesday after peaches. Miss Easley Hill of Graford good at present. We all sympathize with Mes-spent Wednesday night with W. L. Newby is on the puny

Tulsa, Okla.

day.) Henry Reed is helping Mr. Robert Weldon went to Graford Thursday after a ball suit. Misses Whitfield were in the He expects to play ball I sup-

W. C. Reed was in Graham Bro. May and two daughters of Graford are in our midst

Goodlow Williams and John Mr. Whitfield and Jeff cut Crabtree of Fortune Bend were

> Mr. Tucker of Garner, Mr. McAvoy's son-in-law, was up to day. see the latter Thursday.

Well, I had better ring off. Johnnie Dolittle.

LONE OAK

very ill for the past few days. Owen called at W. R. Gibbs' Jim Farr McBride had the Sunday afternoon. weeks' visit with Misses Logan. went to the Association. They misfortune of getting his left S. L. Ribble and family and Messrs, O. D. Blount and T. intended going and then decided arm broken Monday morning by Mrs. Lottie Askew are visiting

Mr. Spraddling and family of Clyde, Texas. Mr. Creek and family were Sorry to report Mrs. Layton near Megargel are the guests As I have written all the of W. C. Harris and family this news will ring off. Rainy Day.

> Several ladies from this community spent last Thursday ·Mrs. Bob Chick and children with Mrs. W. C. McGee of Red

T. N. Bryant and son were Hunter are working on the road Sam Newberry and Mr. Jack- business visitors to Olney last

A few of the Lone Oak peohome Sunday returning to Jer- Nix Sikes of Graford was in ple attended the baptizing at Loving last Wednesday after-

T. N. Bryant called on Lum McBride Monday morning. Say, Gray-eyed Girl, let me Oran and Misses Lula and John Dossett visited Sam and

nie Storm spent Sunday at Geo. J. D. McBride of Archer county was in this community one

W. C. Harris made a trip to

It was reported a few days since that there was a wedding

in this community last Wednes-Mr. McAvoy is real sick at day but it has proven to be a mistake.

Since my last letter was written I have been informed that Saturday. Andrew Boyce and wife of Rev. Collins will not hold a If some one will lend me Alpine are visiting his parents, meeting at Lone Oak this sum- ant caller at J. J. Foster's Sunmer as was reported.

Joe Boyce and wife are here Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Lowe contemplate moving to Olney some

Brunette.

MING BEND

As every one was busy last community. week didn't anybody go to town

who counted on them threshing well as they are hauling all being conducted by Rev. Roark. on easy terms would have paid their machinery to Graford and J. G. Parsons of Gooseneck for itself in wheat this year. Miss Lilla Bell Findley called loading it on cars to ship to attended church at the Bend Ask for descriptive circular. Sunday and took dinner at W.

Jim Pine and family took dinner at R. E. Sims' Sunday.

Misses Lura Dendy and Ella Pickard, Messrs. Archie Newby and Jess Upham took dinner at Mr. Newby's Sunday.

Jim Smith, mother and sister, and Jesse Still took supper at W. R. Gibbs' Sunday night. Quite a number of young folks gathered at W. A. Sims'

Sunday afternoon to sing. Everett Newby visited home folks Sunday.

Earl Pickard visited home folks Saturday and Sunday, returning to his work Sunday

evening. Several of the Fox Hollow people were at church Sunday night. Glad to have them with

us. Come again, all of you. Henry Owen of Mountain Home is spending the week

with his brother, Jesse. Miss Eunice Parker is spending the week with relatives.

J. J. Jones and family, and nephew, Virgil McCasland, visited his daughter, Mrs. Askew, Saturday night.

A. P. Owen made syrup for W. L. Newby, W. R. Gibbs and John Lasater the past week.

Oscar James and family and Misses Cora Rose and Caudil! of Gooseneck, attended church at the Bend Sunday and took dinner at John Lasater's.

Mr. Herron of Graham has been down on his farm the past week and put in three new gal-

W. R. Owen and family took dinner at R. A. Kutch's Sun-

R. A. Kutch and wife, and Mrs. Mattie Dalton and children visited the sorghum mill last Thursday afternoon.

Everett Newby, Miss Lura Dendy, Miss Ella Pickard, Miss Grandma Goodrich has been Reuby Newby and Mr. Oscar

his daughter, Mrs. Wade at

ROCK CREEK

Dry weather is the order of the day in this community.

Orton Bennett went to Bryson Sunday night to meet his sister, Mrs. Roberta Howard. from Paradise. I didn't learn how long she intends to visit.

Miss Ollie Corley is staying with Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Burk. She will return home Tuesday. J. J. Foster and D. W. Burk cut kafir corn for E. H. Burk

Thursday. Rudolph and Roscoe Howard of Paradise are visiting friends and relatives at this place.

Mrs. Bob Cook called the doctor to see her baby girl one day last week. We hope her a speedy

Boyd Bennett visited at D. W. Burk's Sunday.

E. H. Burk and J. J. Foster made a business trip to Bryson

William Bennett was a pleas-

Rock Creek and Bryson crossed bats Saturday. Didn't learn boys and Rock Creek has some hustlers.

E. H. Burk helped J. J. Foster haul kafir corn Monday.

Mrs. Annie Darden of Electra is visiting her father of this

As news is scarce I will get my sunbonnet and go. Daisy Flat.

Land that will pay for itself in one year is very cheap. The

E. S. Graham. Graham, Texas

SALEM

These August days are dry and hot, but with plenty of melons and peaches the people of this community are able to survive.

Mrs. Maggie Gilmore is visit ing Mrs. Bill Cole of Murray.

Miss Grace Gibson has returned to Paducah, Texas, after visiting home folks here.

Marion Henderson and family have returned from Eastland county. Wess House and fam-

ily accompanied them home. Mrs. Albert Askew and chil-

dren are in Callahan county. Miss Sarah Hatfield made a business trip to Graham Satur-

Buren Lisle called at the home of John Kisinger Sunday afternoon.

Alex McLaren entertained the young people Friday night with

Miss Jessie Scott of Newcastle is visiting at the Hatfield home.

The young people of this and neighboring communities enjoyed a party at John Kisinger's Saturday night. Several young men from Graham came out and

furnished some good music. John Y. Kisinger and family of Red Springs, Texas are visiting relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Hinson and son, G. D., Jr., spent Saturday night and Sunday at John Kisinger's.

Misses Klyde Kisinger and Winnie Davis have returned short notice. from school and are spending part of their vacation in Salem, 31tfc

Oliver Moore of Red Springs, is visiting Jean Kisinger.

Marcellus Davis from Gooseneck was in this neighborhood a few days last week.

Last Sunday afternoon fire of unknown origin on Connor Creek destroyed a few hundred acres of good grass for Messrs. J. F. Gilmore, O. D. Gholson, Atwood and Henry Criswell.

Elmer Gilmore and wife have returned from a visit in Eastland county.

Misses - Amma Bullard and Nannie Henderson, and Messrs. Steadman Carter and Harbert Parsons attended Sunday school at the Chapel Sunday.

Miss Golda Richardson of Mt. Pleasant visited Miss Nona Richardson of this community last week.

Mrs. Mattie Martin and children are visiting her father, W. M. Higgins.

Misses Jessie Scott, Sarah Hatfield and Mrs. Sallie Criswell were down on the river one day last week after grapes.

It is not our wish to discuss political affairs but will say we would gladly vote for collective ownership of all the ice cream parlors in the country, and if that be socialism, make the

Salemite is suffering with a bone felon and we are acting as

Twin Soffragettes.

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PADGETT

Last week crop prospects were so bright we thought we were sure for a bale of cotton per acre, but I am sorry to say that conditions have changed. The cotton is drawing up and the farmers faces are long and sad. The reason for all this great change is the extreme heat and light showers. Just rain enough to make the heat more severe, but in spite of the heat, the boll weevils are doing fine.

We want this hot weather to let up. We are fully convinced that the weevils can stand more of it than we can.

Mrs. W. F. Robinson went to Jean last week to visit her sister, Mrs. George Nicewarner, their parents. They expect to benefit to the late fruit crop. be gone two weeks.

W. Womack and family, and Monday. conducted by Elder Bentley.

There were services at Pad- meeting. gett yesterday, conducted by the

SOUTH BEND

Mrs. J. R. Holcomb and baby spent Monday with Mrs. O. A. are entertaining visitors. McBrayer.

Harrell and wife.

ed to her home in Olney.

Dud Ford and sister and V. left Thursday. Miss Annie Holcomb Saturday noon.

iting in the Bend.

parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. atives here. Bräddock,

Mrs. W. M. Goode, Jr., and son left Tuesday morning for Caney, Kansas, to visit her parents.

Miss Fannie Goode is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Moore are here ought and what ought not be until you read this.

writing.

L. Thornton, last week.

of Olney are visiting at the Sto- Valley. vall farm.

Grandma Fickling.

Mr. and Mrs. Rob Smith of Corley and family. family last week.

The Misses Jiant from Black- Saturday. well, Texas, are visiting their

sister, Mrs. Ernest Stovall. Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Alford. Burgess, Friday, August 6th, a

Tom Billingsley and R. W.

Dooley are making syrup.

have returned to their home in last week. Newcastle.

the M. E. Sunday school met in family last Wednesday. their regular business meeting their teacher.

Sunday night.

weeks' visit at Bryan, Texas. Saturday.

She was accompanied home

by her uncle, D. D. Dawson,

who will visit in the Bend. Kid, the best wheat report I can make is nearly 27 bushels greatly appreciated. per acre and oats 83 bushels per acre. I suspect you can beat that some.

We had a good rain Monday afternoon. It was very much appreciated.

Miss Sadie Scott attended the week-end house party given by Miss Lois Loving of Jermyn. She returned home today (Tuesday) accompanied by Miss Lois Loving, Mary Ellen and Zada Burkett and Lovella Eddleman. Bashful Ben.

FLAT ROCK

for a few days; then they will badly needed, fell here Monday again. go to Fannin county to visit afternoon. It will be a great

and family.

day with Miss Leota Hodges.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ash.

while in town Monday.

Mrs. W. C. Harrell and baby in the Cedar Creek community historical epoch the prevailing pass judgment upon a thing be- trouble upon himself, and man on the other side of Olney and

O. A. McBrayer and family Connor and Leota Hodges went tory of that epoch." attended church at Eliasville to the show at Graham Satur- This is the only kind of ma- man's private affair, lets see The Baptist meeting closed day night.

Marshall Bryant and family ter for July 30 you can better Christian? If you were a Chris- P. W. Womack moved his class artists.

and J. P. Hodges and family understand "economic determinwent fishing Thursday.

Glad to hear of the good meeting at Tonk Valley. Jolly ists are infidels, anarchists and Girl, you must come to our materialists seems to conflict meeting some,

which fell Monday would be the Kingdom of God; and as

tainly is bad to be bothered with because, he does not believe in your wife's kin folks. I think spirits, and infidels deny the when I get a wife I'll take her inspiration of the scriptures, to the other side of the earth therefore they don't believe it. where her folks can't come to You are sailing on unknown see us very often.

Hope to do better next week. Candy Kid.

MYERS BRANCH

trict and the farmers are well must be one of the principles, pleased with the yield.

Cotton is very sorry and the ciples you must be a "free-A good rain, which was very boll weevils have begun on it lover." Is that so? But when

Plow Boy informs us that love" dope, remember that we some of the socialist principles are discussing Mexican socialism Quite a number from this "are spawned in the mind of the and we will not accept as evi-Fred Jennings and family, J. community were in Graham Big devil, hatched in hell and propositions quotations from writers ogated by anarchists and infi- of any other school. To save Mr. Williams and family went The Methodist meeting began dels." That is pretty strong you time and trouble I can tell across the river to Prairie View Sunday night and will continue language for Plow Boy, and I you that August Bebel was the to attend the protracted meet- this week. Bro. Snoddy preach- wonder where he got it. How- only socialist of note that wrote ing which is in progress over ed Sunday night but Bro. Pat- ever, I intend to turn his prop- upon the promiscuous mating there. The meeting is being terson will do the preaching this osition over and view it from of the sexes and he plainly tells week. We hope for a successful the other side, and explain a us in the preface to his works few things, beginning with ma- that it is his private opinion, Mrs. Julia McAfee and daugh- terialism. There are two or and that he does not expect the Methodists. I forgot the min- ter, Miss Annie, and two little more kinds of materialism, phil- party to endorse it. grandchildren returned to their osophical and historical are the Hard Times from Buffalo, home in Sherman last Friday, two we wish to mention. The Texas, says he never knew of a after a visit with R. W. J. Par- first theory interprets all things property owner advocating soin the terms of matter, denies cialism. Come west and we can Mesdames Carter and Morris the existence of spirits, and we cite you to several in our counimagine this is the kind you ty who are substantial home W. A. Cook came in last week are accusing the socialists of owners and also socialists. There Mrs. Emma West and Miss from Wichita Falls to spend a advocating. If so, you are bark- are men of wealth in the party Mary McBrayer visited W. Mc- few days with his family here. ing up the wrong tree. Why is though primarily it is a poor David and family and W. E. Mr. Wallace and family of it that the greatest philosophers man's party. Stephensville visited last week thought slavery right two thou-Miss Grace Payne has return- with Mrs. Wallace's parents, Mr. sand years ago? Why was it and Mrs. R. W. J. Parsons. They that slavery was right in Virginia and wrong in Massachu-M. Hale and family went to Miss Jessie Alford and setts in 1850? Socialists ex- ham Big Monday. Misses Irene Reed and Mary clothing or they will die of ex- ing. ing a few days with her grand- ter part of last week with rel- wish to live, therefore the mat- Wood were in Graham Monday. work the other fellow. ter of supreme importnce to Masto Thomas took in the Here is some of our advice: Michael. DeWitt Parsons and family, them is to provide themselves picture show at Graham Mon- Spend fifteen years in some col- Miss Fay Wells left last week A. F. Rogers and family vis- Brit Mays and little daughter, with food clothing and shelter. day night. ited Mrs. Rogers' parents, Mr. Anna, Miss Mary Connor and In different countries, and at I am writing this article for and in the meantime live upon Miss Jimmie Belle Atchley and Mrs. W. C. Reed, east of Harbert Parsons, all of Munday, different times, they produce the benefit of those who are a fish-diet. Take a course in spent Sunday night with, Miss Graham from Friday until Sun- Texas are here spending two and distribute these necessities afraid that socialism will bite economics, and after that read Catherine Patrick.

a slave of him.

I saw X. Y. Z. and the Dago Frederick Engels, in the pref- Man is a creature of educaace to the Manifesto of the tion. I wouldn't give five cents nothing for his creature, man, Mrs. J. H. Alford and daugh- Communist Party, states this for the socialist that isn't made that man can do for himself, threshing in our community and ter visited Mrs. Robert Newby principle as follows: "In every by reasoning. Now let's not and man has brought all of this there is some talk of moving mode of economic production fore we understand it. Social- is the only one to remedy it. Mr. and Mrs. Quitman Nel- and exchange, and the social ism is a bread and butter prop-The Royal Workers Class of son visited George Gilmore and organization necessarily follow- osition strictly. We all work, ing from it, form the basis upon not because we want to, but in Harbert Parsons attended a which is built up, and from order to live. No man can live last Friday night at the home of party at Salem Saturday night. which alone can be explained without working or without Brit Mays and Misses Mary the political and intellectual his- some one working for him.

> terialism that the socialists as what effect socialism would have last night with good success. Tenant to Tramp" in The Repor- any statutory law make you a fourth Sunday in August.

ism." Your statement that socialwith the one that socialists be-Another rain like the one lieve the commonwealth to be God's Kingdom will be spiritual Dago, you flatter me. It cer- the materialist cannot accept it,

seas and have lost your bear-News is scarce this week, ings is all that is wrong with you. You have told us several times that you are going to prove that "free love" is taught in socialist literature and we want to see you do it. If it is Threshing is over in this dis- taught in socialist literature it and if you believe in these prinyou go to look up your "free

WHITE ROSE

J. O. Striplan was in Gra-

weeks with R. W. J. Parsons of life in different ways. And their religion. Now all of you Benson's book. "The Truth Mrs. W. O. Rayburn and chiltheir actions and feelings to- who are prejudiced on account About Socialism," then lay your dren spent part of Sunday af-Miss Mary Connor spent Sun- ward each other, their laws and of this religious "booger" I want prejudice aside and write again ternoon with Mrs. J. B. Hendercustoms, their ideas of what you to lay aside your prejudice to The Reporter.

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tian could any statutory law family last Wednesday to the you vote for or support a law Black. that would make you an infidel? Miss Dollie Gilliland returned Would you vote for or support home Sunday night, after a law that would persecute week's visit with Miss Millie either Christians or infidels? In Henderson. these days the people will be Miss Kate Newby and moththe law makers. We admit that er, Mrs. T. T. Black, passed we have some infidels in the by enroute to Graham for a few socialist party, but they can weeks' visit, while Mr. Black vote the same as a Christian. will leave Tuesday for the plains We also have Jews, Moslems for a few weeks' visit to relaand atheists. We are organized tives. to fight capitalism and capital- A Crowd of young folks spent ism has them all. Socialism Tuesday with Mrs. O. S. Perbars no man on account of his kins and that evening went private religious beliefs. Sorry fishing down on Salt Creek. people in the churches don't Several fish were caught and all make Christianity a farce and seemed to enjoy the day...

on socialism is hitting the sore and Mrs. H. B. Howard. Olney last week to visit and Messrs. Bill Martin and Freeland plain these and similar ques- W. C. McCombs happened to spot. Then comes one called Misses Isabelle Hustead and attend the Baptist Association. Walker were guests of Miss tions in light of a discovery of a serious accident the other day "Hard-Times" from Buffalo, Cleone Haygood spent Sunday Miss Alma McCluskey visited Maggie Taylor Sunday after- Marx called "Economic Deter- while cranking a car. The Texas and gives us some ad- with Miss Millie Henderson. minism" or "The Materialistic crank slipped off and he bumped vice. We will take all of that Miss Bessie Dunagan of One E. H. Corley and family vis- Conception of History." Stated his head against the car knock- and in return give him some ney is visiting Miss Mary Ella Leslie Scott of Graham is vis- ited from Thursday until Fri- in simple terms, the thought is ing two teeth loose. Inflama- advice also. First, about the Patrick a few days this week. day with Mr. and Mrs. Brit Al- this: People must have food or tion set up and he had to have work proposition. I will wager Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Howard Wilbur Weaver is in Graham ford. They went fishing and starve, and in most countries them extracted, but he is get- that I have done more work took Sunday dinner with Mr. at the bedside of his mother, caught a twenty-five pound fish. they must have shelter and ting along nicely at this writ- than he ever will do. And as and Mrs. M. B. Pickens. to future work, I do not have Mr and Mrs. Robert Gray of Pauline Braddock is spend- Martin of Graham spent the lat- posure and cold. Most people Lloyd Hightower and Silas to work, I am in position to Loving have been spending a

ciples of socialism.

lege and try to learn something, for Abilene to visit relatives.

As Plow Boy has done so well Misses Millie Henderson and Miss Christine Harrell at this visiting Mrs. Moore's parents, done are bound to change as the All authorities will admit that (?) on our scriptural argu- Dollie Gilliland, and Mesdames methods of production change, religion is man's private affair, ment I will give him some more. Butler spent Monday with Mrs. Mrs. Cornelius Boozer of Duff Harbert Parsons and cousin, All through history the way But in times past aristocratic Read Rev. 1:11-15. "And the J. W. Thuett. Prairie visited her aunt, Mrs. S. Miss Annie McAfee, spent last people got their food has shaped officials have used their influsement angel sounded; and Ambros Atchley and brother, Wednesday night with J. H. their ideas. There have been ence and have made laws pro-there were great voices in heav- Jim, went to H. M. Orr's today Mr. and Mrs. Fletcher Tucker Robbins and family of Tonk times when the people of a victorious tribe had to eat the flesh step by step, as the people got world are become the Kingdoms (Monday) after fruit.

Mr. and Mrs. Fletcher Tucker Robbins and family of Tonk times when the people of a victorious tribe had to eat the flesh step by step, as the people got world are become the Kingdoms of this torious tribe had to eat the flesh step by step, as the people got world are become the Kingdoms of this torious tribe had to eat the flesh step by step, as the people got world are become the Kingdoms of this torious tribe had to eat the flesh step by step, as the people got world are become the Kingdoms of this torious tribe had to eat the flesh step by step, as the people got world are become the Kingdoms of this torious tribe had to eat the flesh step by step, as the people got world are become the Kingdoms of this torious tribe had to eat the flesh step by step, as the people got world are become the Kingdoms of this torious tribe had to eat the flesh step by step, as the people got world are become the Kingdoms of this torious tribe had to eat the flesh step by step, as the people got world are become the Kingdoms of this torious tribe had to eat the flesh step by step as the people got world are become the Kingdoms of this torious tribe had to eat the flesh step by step as the people got world are become the Kingdoms of this torious tribe had to eat the flesh step by step as the people got world are become the Kingdom step as the people got world are become the Kingdom step as the people got world are become the Kingdom step as the people got world are become the Kingdom step as the people got world are become the Kingdom step as the people got world are become the Kingdom step as the people got world are become the Kingdom step as the people got world are become the kingdom step as the people got world are become the kingdom step as the people got world are become the kingdom step as the people got world are becom Mrs. Alford, Messrs, Romie, of their conquered enemies or more power, this aristocracy of our Lord, and of Christ; and H. M. Orr's children came down Mrs. M. D. Harrell is spend- Jesse and Virgil Martin, Oliver starve. Then, cannibalism was ruling was overthrown. As so- He shall reign forever and ever." from Jean Wednesday in a car, ing a few days with her mother and Atwell Whiteley, took sup- "right." But bye and bye man cialism will give power to the According to that scripture and spent a few hours with Mr. per Sunday night with E. H. learned to apply labor to land masses through the referendum, Christ is coming right down and Mrs. Ambros Atchley. so as to get more food from the I cannot see how they will op- here and accept man's kingdom Foster Brown is cutting J. B. Ranger visited C. A. Melton and Misses Esperence and Fay land than was required to feed press religious parties. Logic as His kingdom. Will it be Henderson's feed today, and Cook visited Miss Leota Hodges the man who did the digging. will not trace it that way my capitalism, where the whole W. P. Womack and son, Fred, Then, cannibalism became dear friends, for it has always world is at a dagger's point in are shocking it. Bob Corley is visiting a few "wrong." The "right" thing to been the freer the people the competition, or will it be sodays with his sister, Mrs. Brit do with a prisoner was to make more liberal the government cialism where the whole world daughter, Linnie, and Grandpa

I still hold that God will do church here Sunday,

HUNT

It is thundering as though it might rain this evening (Mon-

make you an infidel? Would place formerly occupied by T. T.

neither do they make the prin- B. B. Howard and family,

Mrs. Ivy Wallace and son, Fry, It-seems that our discussion are spending the day with Mr.

few days with Mr. and Mrs.

is united through co-operation? Larimore of True attended

The thresher is now through going to work again.

Mr. Editor, some seem to be worrying about who F. and H. is, but my mother was a woman and my father a man, and I am always with somebody or by myself. Now guess who I am. F. and H.

Coming Monday, Tuesday and Miss Bettie Dawson returned Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Cook a party believe in. If you will upon it if they were opposed to The Methodist meeting will be- Wednesday nights, The Sanders home Monday night from a two went to Newcastle on business read "An Untimely Fall from it. If you were an infidel could gin Friday night before the entertainers. You will be more than pleased with these high

Eliasville, where they had been who went. visiting the past two weeks.

good time.

ple Sunday afternoon.

urday night with her sister, Mrs. J. T. Hamilton.

her home in Corsicana.

bary.

The Methodist meeting will begin here next Sunday, the 15th Everyone invited to at-

tend. Miss Jessie Mayes spent Sun-

Bluebell.

Sunday was a big day here, preaching morning afternoon, the Graham farm again, and night. Some brought din- J. C. Akers and daughters may remain that way. some one with them.

Sunday night. I'm sure there looked awful lonely. There were too large crowds this week. and too much interest shown Miss Cecil Duncan called on Now, Yank, don't ask that not to be. There were four Miss Wallace Henderson Sun- friend of mine in your commuconversions during the meeting. day.

in Bryan Texas.

Rock and cousin, Miss Annie eve. McAfee, of Sherman visited at Mr. Robbins' Wednesday night.

Guess the most of you all were in town Monday. I wasn't tle from my home.

S. Seddon and family of Hollis, Okla., are visiting at S. T. Seddon's this week, also Mr. Johnson and family of Murray.

Mrs. Munsey, who spent last week with Mrs. Freeman, returned to her home at Newcastle Sunday.

Megargel.

Messrs. Jones and Hand attended the Association at Olney the West Fork. Friday and Saturday. They reported an enjoyable time.

Monday morning at Lower Tonk. The Baptist people help- in Graham last week. ed us out in our meeting, why not us go down and return their good favor.

May Ragland and brother De-Witt, visited Saturday night and Sunday with their brother, Sam Ragland.

Sam Ragland had good luck on his hunt this morning and put two of those awful chicken traps out of the way. If he can catch two wolves on every hunt he makes it will soon

Mound is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Bessye Busch.

Horace Busch and John Knight are off on a prospecting

Several visitors from town were present Sunday night at the meeting. Jolly Girl.

For New School Dresses.

Big shipment New Fall Ginghams for School Dresses just received. Prices 10c and 121/2c. See them.

LONE STAR

Rain! My! I should say rain,

Mrs. Chas. Donnell and chil-pondents went to Big Monday? ust. Baptized nine that Sundren returned Monday from There were some few from here day night about 10 o'clock, mak-

There was an Akers' reunion joiners. The young people enjoyed an at Claud Akers' last Friday and The Baptist meeting began ice cream supper at Mr. Rigs- Saturday. Those present were: the first Sunday and closed last Mrs. J. H. Megginson is at El Centro Cal., Mr. and Mrs. conducted by Rev. R. N. Hicks. Newcastle having her eye treat- W. A. Campbell of Throckmor- Fine preaching with large con-Several of the boys went fish-children of Breckenridge, Mrs. very good crowds at day serving on the Clear Fork last week Etta Akers and children, Mrs. ices. Three united with the and report lots of fish and a Sallie Akers, daughter and sons, church by letter. Miss Eddie, Archie and Herschel The Methodist meeting begar Miss Maggie Wootton enter- of Komo, Mr. and Mrs. Pat- Sunday at 11 a.m. and is being tained several of the young peo- rick of near Bridgeport. There conducted by Rev. Brown. Have was somewhere near thirty in had a very good meeting so far

to Jack county yesterday.

Oklahoma are visiting her days. Mrs. C. M. Rickman of Gra- brother, C. W. Henderson, this

Mrs. Ernest Stovall has two here.

sisters visiting her this week. called on Mrs. E. M. Ball Sun-

day eve. Mrs. Lillie Akers visited Mrs. E. M. Ball Monday.

last week.

ner and those going home took visited his sister-in-law, Mrs. As we have been guessing at Sallie Akers, of Komo Sunday, some of the Correspondents' The ten days' meeting closed I saw Pansy Sunday, and she ages I'll let you all guess my to prepare his wheat land for

meeting that is yet to show up. of Olney visited their parents guess will receive a post card

Harbert Parsons of Flat called at Mr. Tucker's Sunday Jessie, of Mineral Wells visited tendance. Hiawatha.

OAK GROVE

there but I heard the fire whis- of Sanger, Texas are visiting before returning home. their daughter, Mrs. Joe Petty.

and Mrs. C. C. Crowder.

Frank Madozie and family.

Mrs. Mollie Peters visited Mrs. Joe Peters Thursday.

Sydney Self spent three days

E. C. Garvey has bought

Mrs. C. C. Crowder, who has been with her daughter near Wichita Falls for the past two months, returned home Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Waddell and little son, Burton, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Madozie and children spent Sunday with Mrs. Mollie Peters.

family Sunday.

and little son, Strawn, visited waiting for repairs. Misses Waddell Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Crowder are visiting his sister, Mrs. Smellage, near Wichita Falls. Mrs. I. E. Self visited Mrs. Archie Peters Monday after- night. In behalf of the good peo-

We had a nice rain yesterday (Monday) afternoon.

Don't miss the Avenging Conscience at the Airdome. Watch badly. circulars for date.

BRYSON

As I didn't get to write last

The Christian meeting closed How many of you Corres- the first Sunday night in Auging a total number of seventeen

Mrs. Perla Atkins and son of Sunday night. The meeting was ton, Mrs. Mattie Wynn and gregations at night services and

Obe Clark and family moved Henrietta, mother and sister of

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Dues and two cousins, Misses Susie and Mrs. J. C. Akers is visiting Ellen Scott, of Garner, Texas her daughter, Mrs. G. W. Bur- are visiting Mrs. Dues, parents, gess, of South Bend this week. Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Simpkins,

Alfred Simpkins, who has Mesdames Danley and Hale been visiting in Oklahoma, returned Saturday, accompanied

Yes, Yank, I noticed that your eyes looked "sorter" weak that B. F. Langford lost a horse Sunday, especially that night at the baptizing. I am glad that Barnum Danley is back on you have your eyes wiped up so you can see and hope that they

was lots of good done in this Mr. and Mrs. Fletcher Tucker 25th of this month. All who from me.

nity my age.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Phillips Bryson for a few days' visit be well again.

the 9 o'clock train Monday night | Coy Gathings and family, and and was laid to rest in the Cot- his mother and family, attended

tonwood Cemetery Tuesday. in Mexico also could not be week. reached.

Clarence Keen's rent house and four children besides a host of are bombarded from all over were shopping in Graham Monmoved it over on the Garvey relatives and friends to mourn the state and part of Van day.

from Oklahoma, Trixie.

BITTER CREEK

The threshers have been very

The Methodist meeting at Bitter Mound has been a grand success.

The Presbyterian meeting will start at that place next Sunday Hunt county and says we are ple of Bitter Mound we extend to every one a welcome and cordial invitation to attend each service.

Late feed is needing rain very noon, the 14th.

els of wheat per acre. Mr. Ribble, the owner of the thresher,

said it was the best sample he had ever seen. He contracted with Mr. Gray for 100 bushels which he, Mr. Ribble, expects to plant this fall. Mr. Gray reports he has most of his crop

sold for seed. Kelley (G. F.) Gray has been real sick the past week but we are glad to report him much improved.

The following went to Olney last Friday: Messrs. B. J. and Archie Booker, Holmes Alexander, Darty Alexander and Calvin Jeffery.

Mr. Groner spent Friday and Saturday at Loving with his father and brother.

Misses Linnie Wilborn and Lillian Hammond spent Sunday afternoon with Miss Ethel Wainscott.

Clyde Covington and family, Mrs. E. V. Kunkel and children, John Harris and family, J. E. Gray and family, Messrs. Melvin Wainscott, Willie Hammond and Archie Booker were welcome visitors at J. J. Gray's last Sunday afternoon.

Messrs. Willie Hammond and Archie Booker have each purchased a bicycle and Melvin Wainscott declares Sunday is their hardest days' work.

Everybody remember our Sunday school, which will be reorganized next Sunday, August 15th. Let every one appoint himself a committee of one to make it a decided success. Also bear in mind the meeting which will start the fifth Sunday in this month.

the coming crop.

M. L. Gilmore and family visited G. F. Gray and family. Reporter.

BUNGER

week and left for Newcastle to sick but is better at this time. poorly and we hope for him a will ge a greater advantage to visit their son, John Davis, af- Grandma Mahaney is slowly speedy recovery. ter which they will return via improving. Hope she will soon

Mrs. Joe Cullers of Union next Friday night. Everybody

the meeting at Ming Bend Sun-

I sure would hate to be a so- mother. She leaves a husband and cialist or dry farmer, for they

pathy of this entire community. names of the scribes and when everything very much. G. L. Jones has a brother and I see one I will unfold the pages and who she or he is.

Tom Beach's memory has returned to him since he had his hair clipped and shaved. He remembered having a white

sow Jim Ferguson has contracted with Mr. Copeland to shuck and shell some corn this week.

F. M. Berry has his storm house completed.

We had a nice rain Monday, which was gladly received. John Clark has returned from

just as well off here for crops. Gooseneck and Henry Chapel are going to play ball on the Chapel diamond Saturday after-

H. A. Driver began work on Goose.

MONUMENT

Many thanks, Daisy Flat, for your pencil. I'll try not to keep it so long as to wear it

Daisy Flat, did you ever se ne? I saw you one day when was in Bryson. If you never heard of me just ask your beaux's brother, he can tell you how ugly and lazy I am. wish I had some of your tomatoes. I had the pleasure of eat ing some tomatoes that cama from the Rock Creek community and they sure were fina too. Just come up and bring some of your tomatoes and I'll let you help me cook for the thresher men.

Hard Times, I think I know you. Didn't you once live on the not very good at the present old Cotton place? Isn't your time. father a preacher? If you are Dr. Terrell of Graham was who I think you are I sure did called Thursday to see Mrs. A. enjoy the good sermons your Rickles, who is very sick. We father preached. Wish I could hope to report her better next hear him again.

I bet you don't know who I am. If you are the one I think bad Friday morning by a mule you are I used to go to school falling on him. We did not with you.

glad that Grandpa Hunt got brought a doctor out from town off to Arkansas. Hope he will with her and they took Roy to enjoy himself while there.

Jack o' Diamonds, big meet- will soon be well again. ing has started at Monument, Henry Nicklas, who is workconducted by Rev. Dickerson. ing with the Burgess thresher, I want you to invite the people spent Saturday night and Sunof your community, some cer- day with his wife and babies at tain ones anyway, and please this place. tell them for me, if we Monu- Miss Lila Ritchey is on the ment people can't say something sick list this week. good about them we won't make Mr. West has purchased a fun of them as they did us.

Rev. Dickerson has been in "make hay while the sun shines" Abilene for the past year going or in other words, is going to to school. We are glad to have fill his silo him with us once a year. He J. M. Hunt, wife and little (Tuesday) night. Rev. Law- were in this community last rence, an old resident of Lov- week ing will assist him. We hope to see this meeting a success.

Mrs. I. V. Freeman is visiting Archie Langford, Herbert W. T. Davis, wife and son, The W. O. W. boys met Fri- Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Cochran Henderson and Willie Akers Lum, and granddaughter, Miss day night with very good at- left this morning for Meridian, been appointed to look out our relatives here several days last Mrs. Bob Berry has been very Cochran's health. He is very if we succeed in gaining it, it

> Mrs. Cora Myers, Mrs. Oma Davis and Mrs. Cecil Weems men will help us all they can. -Don't forget the meeting spent last Friday with Mrs. Alice Cearley.

Mrs. N. B. Blevins spent Sun-G. W. Alberts, N. B. Blevins

and John Kruse spent Sunday Several of our young folks

spent Saturday night and Sunday with Misses Eula B and Branys Harrison.

Lawrence Alberts spent Mon-

day night with Oran Hewitt. Miss Nettie McGrew and Mrs. Maud Hewitt helped Mrs. J. M. Barnett cook for the thresher men last Friday.

Mrs. Maud Hewitt left Sunreached with the news. A son caught some nice fish this day morning for Vernon, Texas to spend a week visiting her

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Harrison

Every one enjoyed the nice rain we had Monday. It helped operation and will put up your

Here, Daisy Flat, here other relatives visiting him and see where they are from your pencil, what's left of it. board, or 8 cents without board. I think you'll have to buy a

Tempest and Sunshine.

HAWKINS CHAPEL

Miss Blanche Bavousette's friends of Mineral Wells, who have been visiting her the past few days, returned home today (Monday).

Mrs. Tedrow and son, Oscar, of Megargel are visiting Jesse Oatman and family and Elzie anteed until present stock is Tedrow and wife.

and wife and Miss India Newman attended the Association at Olney.

A. E. Oatman and daughters,

for Waco, where Miss Ella will teach and Miss Maude will attend High School. Miss Nora will teach in East Texas this

winter. Mrs. Gatlin and children are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Summers.

C. F. Newman's family took Sunday dinner with Jim Oat-Wright Holt and family, who

have been visiting Mrs. Holt's father's family, have returned Miss Maude Oatman was the guest of Mrs. Robert Miller

YANCEYVILLE

Violet,

Sunday night.

Health of the community is

Roy Barron was hurt very learn how seriously he was hurt. Say, Silver Bell, I am sure Mrs. Barron was notified and town with them. We trust he

new row binder and is going to

delivered us a fine sermon last daughter, and Nathan Reed

Henry Steele is carrying the

mail from Ivan to Bivouac. Some men from Ivan have Texas for the benefit of Mr. right of way for a rural route. this community than a railroad would be. We trust these good

> Come one and all and patronize our home postoffice. Put forth every effort to make the postoffice a success. It will be a greater benefit to us than it will to our worthy postmaster, who is working so faithfully in our interest. Let us aid him all

> A. W. McDowell called at the Ritchey home Sunday evening. Dick Barron visited his sister, Mrs. Nicklas, Sunday.

Smith Gann was riding in this community Sunday. Mrs. Creagh spent the most

of the week with her sister,

Mrs. Rickles, who is sick, Here, some one, take my pencil, I'm too sick to write any more today. Silver Bell.

Hay Baling.

We have two hay balers in hay at the following prices.

Johnson grass, 7 cents and Oat straw, 6 cents and board, or 7 cents without board.

> G. H. Nored, B. L. Nored, Era Threadgill.

41tfc.

Cotton Sacking Duck, best quality, full 8 ounce, 10c per yard. Made of Texas white cotton, will give double the service of duck made of threshed or bollie cotton. Above price guarsold. At all our stores, Gra-Arthur Ward, C. S. Newman ham, Newcastle, Olney Throckmorton and Loving.

John E. Morrison Co.

Mr. Simpson visited in this When you have finished readcommunity the last of the week. ing this paper kindly hand it to one of your friends who does who have been visiting here this not take it and solicit his subsummer are to leave Tuesday scription. We will appreciate it.

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by's Saturday night.

Miss Jewell Tyra spent Sat- all.

ham visited several days last week. week with Miss Zephyr Cusen-

day at Mr. Kramer's.

TONK VALLEY

Roy Jones has returned from

We had a very good rain Monday afternoon and night. The Baptist meeting started Harwell, last week.

Misses Anna B. and Sadie ranch.

amount to something. Miss Jean Bryan of Indian

trip to parts unknown.

S. B. Street & Co.

Mrs. Smith and daughter of Mrs. Floyd Peavyhouse, are vis-Mrs. Worldly left Friday for Mrs. John Jewel and son of iting the latter here for several

by his cousin, Curtis Mask.

age, as my birthday will be the

Mrs. Clifford Garvey and chil- Ridge took sick one day last invited. dren, Fay and Foy, spent Sat- week and was taken to Fort Frank Vaden and family left day with Mrs. G. W. Alberts. urday with her parents, Mr. Worth for an operation Sunday Saturday on a visit to Gordon, morning. She stood the opera- Texas. Mr. and Mrs. Joe Petty and tion very well, but this place G. W. Rose and family re. with Fred Rubenkoenig. family spent Wednesday with was cast under a cloud of sad-turned home. Saturday from a ness Monday morning when the visit to Eastland and other Mr. and Mrs. Archie Peters, sad news came over the wire points. I. E. Self, Will Gipson, Walter announcing her death, which oc- Dago, Charlie McLaren says and Miss Ethel Self spent a day curred Monday morning at 3 he would like to go around the and night last week fishing on o'clock. The body arrived on world in a wagon.

Miss Jewel Gipson was the Her parents were visiting in day. guest of her aunt, Mrs. Boaz East Texas and could not be Herman, Lee and John have

> her death. The sorrowing rel- Zandt. atives have the heartfelt sym- I will take my little book of

much delayed the past week on Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Miller and account of so many breakfamily visited Joe Peters and downs. There were four within a radius of six miles that were Mr. and Mrs. Oakley Davis delayed from two to four days

J. J. Gray made 15 5-6 bush- his gin this week.

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MOUNT PLEASANT

write a few lines.

We are having some hot, dry it has been. weather. Had a nice shower A. C. White went to Graham of rain last week but it was like Thursday. he old negro's religion, didn't

this country and cotton looks R. White's. well considering the weather.

Owing to a false report Mr. to be sick Saturday. Smith did not thresh our grain is coming this week.

We have had two protracted ville Wednesday. meetings at Mt. Pleasant. Rev. Miss Mollie Elkins called a Hall conducted the first meeting Mrs. Lula Evans' Saturday afwhich lasted about ten days, ternoon. The last meeting was conducted Arthur Bower and Albert by Rev. Anderson of Johnson Martin are working on the Gracounty. Rev. Anderson is a ham Ranch. Baptist and while here preached J. T. Townsend, Roy Pardue, one sermon on baptism. He John Guess, and their wives made it so plain that there helped can peaches at G. R. surely isn't any doubt in the White's Friday, canning 303 minds of those who heard him cans that day. as to what baptism is. Now this as I am not a Baptist.

In looking over last week's night and Sunday. Reporter I found a letter signed 'Mrs. Pearla Atkins and child "Hard Times," and as he claims of Holtsville, California are visto be a democrat, I think the iting relatives in this communame harmonizes all right. He nity. seems to think that socialists Mrs. Salle Akers, Mrs. Mattie are all wage workers. Tells us Wynn and children, Mrs. Etta that he never knew a property Akers and children, Mrs. Pearla owner to advocate socialism. I Atkins, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. beg pardon, Hard Times, but Campbell, Archie and Eddie there surely isn't any property Akers all went to Claud Akers' owners in your community. And at Lone Star Friday and Saturyou tell us that socialism is a day. grand substitute for anarchy. Mr. and Mrs. A. C. White It may be in the near future spent Sunday at A. P. Martin'n. for we can see anarchy practiced Austin White attended church almost every week. And who at Eliasville Saturday night and is in control the socialists or Sunday. the democrats?

Mrs. Dave Hughes, who has community Saturday night. improving slowly.

Mrs. R. M. Anderson has been day. quite sick the past week.

evening with Mrs. Dave Hughes Big Monday. st Saturday.

learned that the little girl of take my pencil and come on Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Nesbit had with the news. passed away. The remains were laid to rest in Medlan B. Hall. The bereaved parents has no objections I'll sit right Mrs. Joe Cullers Saturday after- nice fruit and watermelons she and relatives have the heartfelt here by him, sympathy of the entire commu- We have been attending a Well, Mr. Editor may be nity.

regular appointment last Sun- has been done and the shouts and skiddoo: day afternoon.

Ignorant Voter.

dresses, \$1.00 and \$2.00 values you an invitation, so don't feel weather in this part of the Mrs. Mattie Vaughn visited at all go at 50c and \$1.00.

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accident, the doctor can be summoned by telephone in less time than it takes to harness a horse. If he is some distance away, he can give instructions over the telephone that may save a life.

It is a time-saver when time is most valuable.



KOMO

As I have been absent for Gray-eyed Girl, lend me your quite a while thought I would fan just a minute please. I've been ironing and oh, how warm

Messrs. Will and Pearl Davis were in this community one day Corn is about an average for last week and ate dinner at G.

Lawton Burnett was reported

A. C. White, Mrs. Mettie Bow when we expected him, but he er and children and Miss Lottie White attended church at Elias-

Tom Fletcher and family and is only my unprejudiced opinion Pike Ardis and children attended church at Eliasville Saturday

The thresher arrived in this

been sick for several weeks is J. A. Bower and family attended church at Eliasville Sun-

Several from this place are Mrs. J. O. Wilson spent the going to Graham today as it is Very sorry to report that gil McCasland visited Mr. and

I'll have to close if I get this We were made sad when we letter off. Here, Liberty Bell,

UNION RIDGE

Chapel Cemetery last Thursday | Just move a little Correspondafternoon, funeral services be- ents and let me have a seat. Mrs. S. H., Denning and E. ing conducted by Rev. Gaines I'll promise to be quiet. If Dago King attended the bedside of

Rev. Gaines B. Hall filled his son. Some splendid preaching I'll hand my pencil to Jolly Girl have been ringing out from

Uncle Zeke, as Plow Boy did Ladies' and Children's tub not invite you over I will give We are having some hot, dry slighted. Come on Uncle Zeke, world. we have the old Jerusalem church over here. Come on and been visiting at Ivan and help- stayed a few days last week join in with us, the door is ing with the thresher the past with her mother, Mrs. Jones, open and you are welcome to week.

come in and sip with us. shout just a little. It wouldn't been attending the normal.

hurt you if the cup ran over.

much better at this writing.

this week.

Miss Lillie Tripp spent Wednesday night with Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Gladden.

Finis and Union Ridge cross-Ridge.

Mrs. W. B. Hill is sick at this well again.

Rev. Bullard from Mexico is a guest of J. T. Ainsworth today (Wednesday). He left for visiting at Pickwick, Finis, where he will preach to-

night. H. H. Avants has returned with the thresher on Caddo. home, after spending several days in Bryson, a guest of trip to Graham Wednesday.

Henry Moore.

Mr. Phillips, from Palo Pinto county, is visiting his cousin, Willie Simpson, this week.

Miss Velma Kirbie has been and fever.

S. H. Denning made a busi- Wednesday night. ness trip to Jacksboro Tuesday. Graham last Thursday.

J. S. Avants took some watermelons to Jermyn Friday.

Silver Bell, my hand is now extended to you again. Your letter was fine last week. Ring out, Silver Bell.

Jolly Girl, can you tell me what the attraction is at Tonk Valley for some of our young

Daisy Flat, the cream supper was o. k. You are welcome over here any time. Come again.

Harvey Avants visited in the Barton Chapel community from Friday until Saturday, and on returning home his horse became frightened throwing him off and he sustained a bruised shoulder which is very painful. He is resting very well today.

Miss Lillie Tripp visited in Bryson Saturday night and Sunday, a guest of Miss Gertrude

Mr. and Mrs. Ellis King spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Simpson.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Avants were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Huse Denning today (Sunday). Mr. and Mrs. Red Gladden

spent Sunday eve with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Simpson. Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Denning

are on an extended visit to relatives at Olney. Mr. and Mrs. Harry Walden of Bryson were guests of Mr.

and Mrs. Math Denning Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. A. Henderson visited relatives in Bryson Saturday night and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Cook were guests of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Watson, Sunday

Mrs. Joe Cullers, who has been Mrs. Emmet Askew Saturday seriously ill for the past week, was carried to Fort Worth today to be operated on for appendicitis. We have not learned how she stood the operation but hope for her a speedy re-

good old-time meeting at Bry-reaching for that blue pencil, so

BEE BRANCH

Misses Cecil and Rachel Hal-peaches.

Mrs. E. O. Outlaw and chil-Mrs. McAdams is reported dren have been visiting J. M. Corbett and family the past The little child of Arthur week, while Mr. Outlaw has

T. C. Perry and family have day. Mrs. Emma Avants has been returned home, after a month's suffering with a sore throat visit with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Haliburton.

> Vina Hughes much better at ing. this writing.

Mineral Wells Tuesday. Mrs. this a glorious meeting. Brown took the train for Weathwriting. Hope she will soon be erford Wednesday morning, the others returned home bringing a load of peaches with them.

Miss Georgie Haliburton is

Charley and Pate Echols and

T. M. Corbett made a business Joe McMeen was a business

Ellis King is making syrup visitor at J. T. Haliburton's time. Wednesday.

Mrs. Cox and Miss Georgie Houx are visiting in the Panhandle. .

Bryan and Donovan Haliburquite sick this week from chills ton attended the Holiness meeting at Oak Grove Tuesday and

As news is scarce I will ring Arch Tripp hauled peaches to off and eat some watermelons. , School Girl.

MOUNTAIN HOME

This is Sunday and my, isn't it hot!

The big meeting will start at Bunger the 14th. All are invited to come and be with us.

hope to be able to go. I have been sick most of th past week.

Mrs. Alford and daughter

passed through this community last week Mr. and Mrs Frank Sullivan of Santo have been visiting relatives of this community the

past week. You know I would love to have been with you all, June Roses. Just let me know next

time and I will sure come. Miss Valerie Bunger was real sick Thursday night with sick headache, but is some better to-

night (Sunday night). All right, Silver Bell, we are going to look for a letter from all of you Correspondents down

I was proud of the nice book of Correspondents you sent me Mr. Editor. I wrote my letter in such a little time last week I never got to write all the news. - Buster Blue and sister stopped in to spend a few minutes with Homeite and gave me a mess of tomatoes for supper. Come again Buster Blue and stay longer.

J. W. House and family of Eastland county came in Saturday to visit his sister, Mrs. G. G. Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Jones and Virand Sunday.

W. C. Bunger and son, Jim, were pleasant visitors at Mr. and Mrs. Will Owen's Sunday morning.

Miss Afton Smith, who has been visiting relatives in Eastland county, returned home Saturday. She said she had all the could eat while she was gone. I wish I could have been with

Mrs Hughes and two daughters, Misses Ella and Vina, spent Sunday and Sunday night with Mr. and Mrs. Asberry Caudill.

Walter Fawks and family, and G. G. Smith's Wednesday.

Lee Corbett and family have Mrs. Lola Askew came up and and canned and dried some Stricklin's Tuesday night was

Dago, inasmuch as you are iburton have returned from School Girl, tell your sister not a Methodist couldn't you Mineral Wells, where they have that the schools are like they good at this writing. were. Homeite.

MIDWAY

Miss Rosa Stricklin took din-Henderson has greatly improv- been working with the thresher, ner with Miss Hettie Drum Sun-

> Gentry Johnson is spending lin. a few days at Lee Drum's.

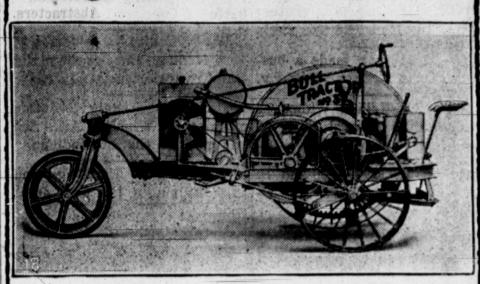
Rev. E. A. Cox has gone to

The meeting at Midway will Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Kennedy, begin the fourth Sunday night ed bats Saturday. The score Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Haliburton, in August. Everybody is instood 1 to 21 in favor of the and Mrs. Brown made a trip to vited to come and help make

Mrs. Bagley's sister and hus- every week. band came in to spend a few Bryan Haliburton are working days with Mrs. Bagley and fam- Correspondents' names nice? cian Adams and wife returned

> Wylie and Frank Loftin attended a party at Markley Sat- but I will put it in anyway. urday night and reported a good

Big Bull Tractor



I have one of these Big Bull Tractors at work on my farm near Loving, also one at work on the Timmons farm near Elbert, Texas. These engines are pulling four-plow discs, and breaking from 8 to 10 acres per day, using on an average of 1 1-2 gallons of gasoline to the acre.

I am now pulling a 22-inch Nichols and Shepherd Separator, with wind stacker, threshing oats.

These tractors are now running on the Timmons' and W. C. Colling farms near Elbert, A.C. Watson's farm near True, and O. L. Anderson's farm near Padgett.

They are doing the work and giving perfect satisfaction.

D. G. Vick

enjoyed by all. Health in our community is

Everybody is busy working

with their fruit.

H. W. Drum and son, Willie, are over at Indian Mound with their binder.

Saturday night with Mr. Strick- rived Friday evening. They

Miss Nannie Adams is spend- of September.. ing a few days with her sister, We are glad to report Miss Jean to help Rev. Bell in a meet- Mrs. Cox, while Mr Cox is away Oscar Groene spent the day last holding a meeting.

Apple Blossom.

DUFF PRAIRIE

I wonder if there is room for build more to his house. Several in our community me this week? Am glad to be Mrs. W. E. Braddock spent went to Big Monday at Graham among you good writers once Monday afternoon with Mrs. more. It has been quite a while John Groene. Mr. and Mrs. Lee Drum took since I wrote but I have been dinner at John Cox's yesterday. reading the many good letters Adams went to South Bend

Many thanks, Mr. Editor.

Henry Rogers and mother are

visiting at Snyder, Texas. Mrs. Floyd Burgess returned home Sunday from a few days' stay with George Burgess.

W. E. Braddock has moved

his house. Mr. Adams left the first last week for Abilene to accom-Mr. and Mrs. Adams spent pany his family here. They arwill return to Abilene the first

> Mr. Groene and family and Sunday with J. Quincy Adams and family.

W. E. Braddock was in town today (Monday) for a load of lumber. He is preparing to

W. O. Groene and Miss Una Monday afternoon. Wasn't that little book of Mark Crabtree and wife, Lu-

home Thursday evening from a Some of this news may be old few weeks' visit with friends and relatives in Bosque county.

Miss Hattie Belle Reed spent | As I have been absent so a few days last week with her long will not take up any more The ice cream supper at Mr. sister, Mrs. W. E. Braddock. space this time. Sorrell Top.

Local and Personal Mention

\$1.50 at Morrison's.

Mrs. J .H. Thomas is visiting 31tfc relatives in Mansfield this week.

iness trip to Farmer yesterday. Bull Tractor from D. G. Vick.

- Helen and Lillian Widmayer are spending several days at morning for Winslow, Ark. She

Messrs, R. E. Lynch and P. K. Deats spent Sunday in Al- belts to match the new dress Airdome for date. bany. -

Mr. and Mrs. Jason Mayes will leave soon for Marlow, Okla-

I. W. Kirkland of Ivan transacted business in Graham Wednesday.

A. C. Casey of Farmer was transacting business in the city Monday.

Wils Copeland of Duff Prairie was a Big Monday visitor in Graham.

Lots of money to loan on good land. See Vick.

Frank Norton of Ivan was a business visitor in Graham last Wednesday.

Ben H. Cunningham came in from Brownwood Friday to visit his parents.

Judge E. W. Fry of Proffitt was a business visitor in the city this week.

Misses Fay and Flo Whitfield were visitors in the city from Oakland Monday.

Ladies' new silk waists, \$1.50 and \$2.00 values, choice for \$1.00.

John E. Morrison Co.

Judge J. W. Akin of Wichita Falls was a business visitor in the city yesterday.

Rev. Gaines B. Hall left yesterday for a visit to Comanche and Winters, Texas.

The Reporter a pleasant call Mrs. John E. Morrison. while in town Monday.

E. H. Morrison and family returned Monday from a visit to relatives in Haskell.

Men's Shirts.

The best stock in Graham is shown at this store. S. B. Street & Co.

Miss Grace Payne, guest of Miss Bettie Scott, left Tuesday for her home in Olney.

Read the advertisements in this paper, you may save money enough in one transaction to pay for several papers thereby.

Mrs. C. M. Rickman visited in Murray last week, guest of Miss Zephyr Cusenbary.

C. P. Hutchison returned Monday night from a visit to the home folks at Denton.

New Fall Ginghams.

See our big stock of New Ginghams for Fall Dresses. S. B. Street & Co.

Mr. and Mrs. B. W. King arrived home Sunday from a visit to relatives at Seymour.

P. G. Weaver of Oklahoma kets. City is here to be with his

mother, who is seriously ill.

Seymour and other points. Men's Trousers.

Our Fall stock of Fine Trou-S. B. Street & Co.

\$2.50 Manhattan Shirts choice | Land Abstracts furnished on short notice.

King & Marshall, Abstracters.

W. C. Collins of Elbert was T. J. Eddleman made a bus- here Monday and bought a Big

> Miss Agnes Craig left this will go from there to Indiana.

At Morrison's.

Denton is visiting in the city, ance Wednesday. guest of Miss Fatine Dowdle.

Mrs. G. S. Mason, are in Mineral Vick for one of those Big Bull Wells to spend about ten days: Tractors.

Malcolm Kramer returned Saturday night from a stay of several weeks at Crowell, Texas.

Buy guaranteed hosiery and stop darning. For Men, Women, Boys and Girls. 15c and 25c. At Morrison's.

Mrs. J. M. Prewett of Archer City was in the city last week visiting her sister, Mrs. E. B. Owen.

the top price.

W. L. Howry.

Capt. S. R. Crawford left Sunday for California to take in the sights of the Panama Ex-

Mrs. A. J. Owen of Waco is in Graham at the bedside of her sister, Mrs. Weaver, who is seriously ill.

Ladies' street and party dresses, a late shipment-all go at actual wholesale cost.

John E. Morrison Co.

Mr. and Mrs. John Wood and son returned Sunday night from Galveston, after spending two weeks there.

Prof. Ira T. Gilmer of Gulfport, Miss., came in Saturday A. T. White of Komo made evening for a visit to Mr. and

> Land Abstracts furnished on short notice.

King & Marshall, Abstracters:

D. A. Hughes of Mt. Pleasant was in the city on business

Monday. He paid The Reporter a pleasant call.

to points in West Texas. Mrs. H. L. Lane and children left yesterday for their home in Sinton, Texas, after a visit

Special Bargains.

of four weeks to her parents.

Now being offered on all summer dress goods. Call and see

S. B. Street & Co.

Monday. He came to town to garments. have a bone felon on his right thumb lanced.

Fine Hosiery.

Miss Susie Milam returned Hose for Men, Women and Chil- are visiting in the Flat Rock of the Bivouac postoffice the home Monday from a visit to dren on the market. Prices the community, guests of Mr. and people in that part of Stephens lowest.

S. B. Street & Co.

Our idea of a boyish boy is thing and worth working for, ing added to in that section. sers has been received. Newest one who takes less pride in but a railroad ticket will get patterns in all sizes and prices. clean teeth than in his sore toe. you a longer ride on the train. -Dallas News.

Don't forget that the 14th episode of the Master Key will be shown at the Airdome to-

Miss Maud Bell returned last Tuesday night from a trip to the Panama Exposition and other points in California.

W. W. Storm of Bunger was The Reporter a pleasant call.

If you miss the Avenging Conscience you miss one of the best feature pictures ever pro-See the New Handbags and duced. Watch circulars of the

Mr. and Mrs. D. Howry are rejoicing over the arrival of a Miss Willie Marie Park of fine boy, who made his appear-

O. L. Anderson of Padgett Miss Nora Sloan and sister, has placed his order with D. G.

Men's Summer Underwear.

We have a complete stock of Union Suits, Shirts and Drawers. All kinds and prices.

S. B. Street & Co.

Judge W. E. Prescott, of Paducah, Texas, with the State Department of Agriculture, was in Graham yesterday to deliver a lecture on agriculture.

Texas, who are visiting their Lois Loving, Louise Norris, and Bring your chickens to the sister, Mrs. E. P. Stovall of Lovella Eddleman; Messrs. Oli-Union Wagon Yard. Will pay South Bend, were in the city ver Loving and Herschel Eddle-Monday.

> tertainers Monday, Tuesday and having his eyes treated. He has Wednesday nights the Airdome been suffering for some time, will show three reels of good and it was thought for some pictures. Popular prices will days that the sight in one eye

daughter, Miss Capitola, return- days. to their home in Fort Worth Sunday, after two months' vis- Moreover, when Cesar made York, however, that he conit with Mrs. W. H. Logan and up his mind to cross the Rubi- siders the murderer. Johnson the Logan Ranch.

J. W. Daws and family of Proffitt passed through Graham for a bridge.—Exchange. Wednesday enroute to Hot Springs, Ark., to visit for some

Mr. and Mrs. G. Q. Street Corpus Christi to spend several at the orchard. days on a pleasure jaunt.

R. F. Short left Wednesday morning for the northern mar- The Reporter office Saturday. kets. Mrs. Short and Ione accompanied him as far as Dallas, where they will visit for several days.

Queen Quality Shoes for Fall The newest Style Shoes are Mr. and Mrs. W. J. A. Cooper here. Queen Quality and Bosand son, Kent, left Wednesday ton Favorite Brands, prices morning for a two weeks' visit \$2.50 to \$5.00.

S. B. Street & Co.

Graham and vicinity was vis ited by a very nice rain Monday afternoon and night which cooled the atmosphere and was a great help to late feed stuff, gardens etc.

McCall Patterns.

Remember we carry in stock every style pattern made and John Kisinger of Salem was every size. Use McCall Pata caller at The Reporter office terns to insure perfect fitting

S. B. Street & Co.

S. Boyd Street left Saturday Monday from a visit to Bryan. News. for Matador, where he will join She was accompanied home by buyers of other stores in a trip her uncle D. D. Dawson, who to northern and eastern mar- will visit relatives at South ron of Bivouac, Stephens coun-Bend.

Mrs. R. W. J. Parsons.

A college diploma is a good

Notice!

C. W. Johnson gives notice that during the construction of new office he will see those desiring his services at his res-

C. P. Goode and son have been awarded the contract by the Commissioners' Court, for painting the Gooseneck, South a business visitor in the city Dry Creek, two Salt Creek, Mc-Monday. While here he paid Can and Eliasville bridges, with one coat of paint.

> A. C. Watson of True was in Graham Wednesday on business. Mr. Watson bought one of those Big Bull Tractors from D. G. Vick, and is using it on his farm. His son also bought one, and they are tearing up the dirt in that country.

Ladies' Trimmed Hats \$1.00.

Choice of any Ladies' Trimmed Hat in the store, worth from \$2.50 to \$6.50 for only \$1.00.

S. B. Street & Co.

Hollis and Murray Moore of Graham came in Wednesday to spend a few days with the family of their uncle, J. D. Moore, of Cottonwood Hole.—Baylor County Banner.

Miss Sadie Scott of South Bend is entertaining friends with a week-end house party. Those in the party are, Misses Misses Jiant, of Blackwell, Zada and Mary Ellen Burkett,

In addition to the Sanders en- Joe Wootton is in Dallas would be destroyed, but he is improving now, and it is thought Mrs. W. C. Walker and he will be all right in a few

> con he plunged in and pulled is deputy warden at Sing Sing, for the farther shore. He didn't and the two murders of yester-

porter a sample of fine peaches has refused to take personal last Saturday. Mr. Ribble has charge of the death penalty's ina nice orchard, and his peaches fliction at Sing Sing. The unand Mr. and Mrs. Harry Wads- have had a heavy demand, he pleasant work has fallen to the worth left Tuesday morning for being able to sell his entire crop young Harvard man, who can

> DeWitt Parsons' of Haskell county was a pleasant caller at

Mrs. Julia P. McAfee and children, and Mrs. Jack Frost of R. W. J. Parsons in the Flat Rock community last week.

Bud Lowrey of Tonk Valley has bought the J. C. Kay res- have something to talk about. idence in South Graham and An hour and a quarter later I will move his family here in a short time, in order that the children may have good school advantages.

and Mrs. Walter Price, is now ertheless is in favor of fullest able to be out after several publicity regarding public. exlast of four of this family to re- the barbarity. cover, and the many friends of "Becker has been electrocut-

Also, if you make a practice of carrying a chip on your shoulder, some time it will be Miss Bettie Dawson returned driven into your neck.—Dallas

D. F. Upham and W. D. Barty, were in the city yesterday on business. While here they Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Wallace made The Reporter a pleasnat We show the best line of and children of Erath county call. Since the establishment county are enabled to get their mail sooner, and the subscription list of The Reporter is be-

> Ask your neighbor to subscribe for The Reporter.

SHOES

\$3.50

\$5.00

To make a stylish shoe comfortable is one of the principal aims of the manufacturers of Queen Quality shoes.

They know that a stiff, unbending sole on a handsome shoe will never be satisfactory to the wearer.

They have spent years perfecting beautiful, stylish shoes with the most flexible soles possible to produce. This flexibility means the most comfort-

able shoe on earth — the Queen Quality shoe for women. You can get these shoes at this store only

because we are exclusive agents. "BOSTON FAVORITE" \$2.50 to \$3.25 S. B. Street & Company

PUNISHMENT

Man Who Sent Becker to His Death Says it Was Unjustified Murder.

Ossining, N. Y., July 31 .-Charles H. Johnson, Harvard ing eight since January, and who expects to kill five in August and at least eighteen others in the course of the next few months, declared today that he regards these killings as nothing short of murder. It is not himself, but the State of New get a small pain, doctors are er and Samuel Haynes.

Thomas Mott Osborne, war-Horace Ribble sent The Re- den, since accepting the office not evade it except by quitting. Prison work, he said, is his life work and he can not better prison conditions by quitting.

"Yesterday morning," he said "I sat with Charles Becker from 1:30 o'clock until 4:30 o'clock. Sherman visited Mr. and Mrs. We talked about many things, for Becker was a man of intelligence, the sort of man one can talk with for three hours and killed him. What justification is there?"

Johnson has been in institutional work ever since he left Harvard. He is utterly opposed Richard Price, son of Mr. to capital punishment, but nevweeks' confinement to his home ecution as the surest way of with typhoid fever. He is the focusing public attention upon

the family will learn with pleas- ed," he said. "What good has ure of their complete recovery. been accomplished? None that I can see. Some still cling to the belief that capital punishment is a deterrent to crime. In April a year ago the four gunmen were executed. It was but a few days later that other gunmen killed another New York citizen.

"The State says 'Thou shalt Becker-and doing so, more money. Ask for details. than kills Becker's wife. "The spirit of Christianity is 44-7c.

disregarded. I appreciate that the word Christianity does not move some people, but this is supposed to be a Christian Nation. No one can say a work of Christian civilization has

OFFICER OPPOSES CAPITAL been done by the murder of Charles Becker. Two debits have been created-no credit.

\$3.50

\$5.00

"Over in the death-house there are twenty-three men cooped up-waiting in their cages to be killed. For an hour a day they are allowed outside man, class of '02, who yesterday their cells, though there was morning killed two men, mak- some objection when we began granting this privilege. For years it was the practice to allow them no exercise whatever. Men have stayed in those cells thirty months awaiting their ordered murder.

"If they get sick, if they even hurried to them. They must be saved for the State to 'all,

"How that human slaughterhouse squares with twentieth shiver on the brink and bawl day were those of Charles Beck-century civilization I can not see."-Dallas Evening Journal.

> F. A. Gladden of Union Ridge near Bryson called at The Reporter office Monday.

For Sale

Second hand Deering Row Binder; been used 2 seasons, in good condition. Price \$50.00. D. G. VICK.

For Trade.

House and lot (Cornish place) in Northeast Graham to trade for young stock. See or phone

A. F. Sparks.

tool grinding call the Wood Yard. Ind Phone 152-4 rings.

and sawing, also all kinds of

For all kinds of good wood

For Sale or Trade for Feed.

One brown mare, highly bred. fast pacer, 151/2 hands high. F. F. Parrish

The 900 acres of land near Olney that I have cut up and am offering for sale in small tracts has been sold only once not kill,' and then proceeds to since it was made. The Grado collectively what it forbids ham Land Office offers nothing the individual doing. It kills but what is well worth the

> E. S. Graham, Graham, Texas.

C. W. JOHNSON Attorney at Law Office West Side Square Graham, Texas

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