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**Augusta News.**

Augsta, Oct. 28.—The wheel of time is carrying us along at a rapid pace to that place from whence no traveler returns. How many will be ready to answer yes to the summons? The echo answers how many? It seems only a span since we were clad in winter clothing, but we see from the brown dress of the trees and the fall of the leaf that we are again approaching grim winter. We feel assured that the people of Houston County are in much better condition than they were one year ago. Plenty of feed stuff to care for their stock with and money to buy all that is needed for home, puts oil on the troubled waters and makes all as lovely as a marriage bell.

We certainly ought to be thankful for the bountiful crops that have been raised and harvested this year. Houston County soil will easily cope with the black land when given a chance.

We have it from Mr. James Newman that he has gathered four and a half bales of cotton from four acres of up land. He fertilized with cotton seed. The amount he used payed him much better than \$10 per ton. Mr. Newman is a good farmer and of course he is making farming a success. Let us see what else can be done.

Some of our neighbors have fine gardens. Through the kindness of Mrs. Sallie Long we enjoyed our dinner to day of tender

turnips and greens and crisp radishes as fine as was ever grown in any country and as delicious in flavor as those grown in spring.

Land agents have invested the country the past week endeavoring to buy all unsold pine land. We understand that there has been several transfers at Weches at fair prices. People here are rather loath to sell from the fact they believe at no distant day we will have a railroad through this country.

We are glad to see that there is some prospect for a bank at Grapeland. It would be a feather in Grapeland's cap that will grow larger and brighter as the town grows older.

A new comer at Jas. Kennedy's—a fine boy.

We are having fine weather and it will be but a short time before the cotton will all be gathered. Nothing of interest to write. May the sun shine be brighter for the Messenger and his new devil is my wish. OLD GRAY.

An excited individual ran up to a porter at a railway station, and asked: "Have you seen a parcel I left here on this seat?" The porter replied that he had not. "Oh, what shall I do?" exclaimed the excited passenger. "It contained three poems I have written." "Can't you write them again?" asked the unimpassioned porter. "Yes, I can do that, but" hesitatingly, "there were two sandwiches in the parcel as well."—Kansas City Star.

**La Texo News.**

Ta Texo Oct. 29 — The nice cool pleasant weather has enabled the farmers to wind up their cotton picking. We have made more in this section than for several years, though the crop is short.

The farmers union met here last Saturday and had a good meeting. They took in one new member and had a lecture by M. L. Livley of Hays Springs. He also lectured at night to open doors and a crowded house.

The Farmers Union warehouse at Crockett was opened last Friday for business and the first bale of cotton was weighed and stored. Mr. J. D. Hill of Chappel Hill Union, is manager and Mr. James Howard is book-keeper. Now Mr. Union men role your cotton in and prove your faith by your work.

Mrs. Jim Morris and Miss Ada Morris of Slocum are visiting the family of Mr. Geo. Rosser.

Mr. Geo. Rosser sent your correspondent few messes of snap beans and radishes this week which were enjoyed highly. He is now selling fresh vegetables and finds ready sale for them. This shows that we can get money out of other things besides cotton. Mr. J. M. Ford will soon have irish potatoes ready for market. Wake up rusty backs and let your lights shine. We are surely coming to the front. REX.

Miss Ida Woodard visited relatives at Salmon last Sunday.

**Swiped The Booze.**

A few days ago several members of Nacogdoches bar attended a session of a rural justice court, and in starting out one of the members wanted a "little nip of O be joyful" in case of an accident. A grip was borrowed and the bottle of spirits placed therein. One of the party, after reaching their destination, proceeded to confiscate the bottle of booze and placed a rock in the grip. The loss of the bottle was not discovered until the return home, when the party arrived at a little creek a search for snakes was made in order to have an excuse for testing the merits of the bitters; no snake being found, it was decided to play like one was found and test the bitters. Accordingly the grip was opened when to the astonishment of the crowd it was found that instead of "booze" they had a brick.

One of the party said that he had read the story about Lot's wife turning to a pillar of salt, but that was the first time that he ever heard of a bottle of booze turning to a rock.—Nacogdoches Sentinel.

A woman always wants slim ankles, but not the rest of the thin things that usually go with them.—New York Press.

Will some one who has time look up this matter and see what he means?—Houston Post.

Well, or—he means—well, it's nobody's business what he means.

Damage to the cotton crop now indicates that 11c may be the minimum price before the season is over, provided the farmers market the crop conservatively.—Texas Stockman & Farmer.

Be careful what you promise and then do just as you agreed to do. There are many otherwise good people who are quick to make promises and when the hour of fulfillment comes they confront impossible conditions and consequently embarrassment. Be careful of giving your word, and be very jealous of your word when it is given.—Exchange.

A cow boy appeared at a railroad station in Nevada and stated that he desired to ship to parents east the body of a comrade who had been killed by a grizzly bear. In shipping the box the agent noticed that it was quite heavy and not of the usual shape. In a few days came a telegram. "Some mistake. Bill's body not arrived; box contained bear." The cow boy, who was still at the station on a protracted spree, wired back: "No mistake. Bill is inside the bear.—Exchange.

**Croup.**

A reliable medicine and one that should always be kept in the home for immediate use is Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It will prevent the attack if given as soon as the child becomes hoarse, or even after the croupy cough appears. For sale by B. R. Guice & Son.

# The Messenger.

ALBERT H. LUKER, Editor

GRAPELAND, - - TEXAS.

ALL OVER TEXAS.

About 3000 birds are on exhibition in the Poultry Department of the State Fair of Texas.

C. C. Williams, an inmate of the Dallas County jail, under indictment for murder, committed suicide Monday, using a sharp razor that had been furnished him for shaving himself.

In a runaway which occurred at the race track at Fort Worth Miss Edna Smith was thrown out of a carriage and painfully injured. Three other occupants were slightly hurt.

The sawmill of the Red Water Lumber Company at Red Water, sixteen miles south of Texarkana, was burned, entailing a loss of about \$30,000. The plant was insured for \$11,000.

Hill County Camp No. 165, U. C. V., has endorsed Mr. O. T. Stevens of Hillsboro for appointment to the position of superintendent of the Confederate soldiers' Home at Austin.

Dr. B. A. Dinwiddie sold a bale of long staple cotton for 18.10c per pound at Clarksville. Capt. J. B. Doncho sold three bales for 18.02c and others brought 18 cents.

The International Salt Company announces the project of building several new plants in which a newly invented process will greatly reduce the cost of salt.

The Central Amusement Company has been chartered by a Dallas organization, with a capital stock of \$30,000. The purpose is to build and operate a huge skating rink at Memphis, Tennessee.

Bill Skein, a white man was sentenced to five years in the penitentiary on a charge of criminally assaulting a twelve-year-old girl. The case originated at Waco several weeks ago, at which time Skein was arrested.

Adjutant General Hulén has announced that it cost exactly \$28,352 to pay 1920 officers and men of the Texas National Guard for services during the recent encampment at Camp Mabry.

Arrangements are being made by the Reorganized Republican executive committee, the headquarters of which are in Terrell, to inaugurate a vigorous campaign. Speakers are to be sent to various parts of the State.

H. L. Mays, a negro, was hanged Friday in San Antonio for the murder of Lee Woods on July 29, 1905. The drop fell at 11:21 and he was dead twenty-four minutes later. He made no confession.

The railroad commission's annual report will show 200 miles of newly-constructed railway between July and October and 200 additional by Jan. 1. The proposed mileage for this and the coming year is placed at 1,500.

Grandma Franklin died Sunday night at Pendleton. She was 92 years old and had been a member of the Baptist Church for seventy-six years. She came to this State eighteen years ago from Monticello, Wayne County, Kentucky.

At Purdon one day last week fifty bales of cotton were burned. They were the property of J. H. Farrold, and were insured. The fire was caused by a party stepping on a match near one of the bales, which ignited, the flames soon spreading to all of the cotton.

The Texas Central is pushing work west from Stamford and at this time lacks but fourteen miles of reaching Rotan. Arrangements are being made for a big town lot sale at Rotan as soon as the line shall have reached that point.

A railroad surveying party is at work in the neighborhood of Ravenna, Telephone and Ivanhoe, in Fannin County, locating a line for the extension of the Denison, Bonham and New Orleans Railroad to Paris.

The g's belonging to the Hunt County Oil Company, located at Hickory Creek, six miles west of Wolfe City, was totally destroyed by fire. Twenty-eight tons of seed were burned, also fifteen bales of cotton; value of gin, \$5,000.

Senator Bailey announces that on Friday, Oct. 26, he expects to speak in Dallas at night and that he will pay his respects to the local men who are opposing him, as well as to those in other parts of the State and country.

## EVENTS OF EVERYWHERE.

Frosts killed the top crop of cotton in the Red River tier of North Texas counties on last Tuesday night.

The Farmers' Union warehouse at Denison, just finished, is being rapidly filled with 11-cent cotton.

Vincennes Kaymundi, a teacher of languages in Chicago, fatally shot his eleven-year-old son and then committed suicide by firing a bullet into his own brain.

A man dived under a moving street car to his death in New Orleans Friday. In the same city Mrs. David Bock, of Port Gibson, Miss., committed suicide by taking carbolic acid.

Indications point to a shortage of cotton seed oil for the season of 1906 and the oil mills in many places have already had very liberal offers for their output for this season.

Three thousand bales of cotton which arrived in Bremen, Germany, from Savannah October 8, on the British steamer Turkestan, were destroyed by fire Friday.

Cancer of the stomach caused the death of Dr. Max Hempel of St. Louis, aged forty-three, nationally known as a German educator and writer on scientific matters, the other day.

An American bank is to be established in Berlin, Germany, to be conducted along American lines and to be intimately associated with American National Banks.

A heavy black frost with a freeze occurred in many parts of Kentucky Wednesday night, which will destroy all tobacco now out in the fields. This is the first frost of the season.

Dissatisfied with the existing conditions in their country Gaulemian political refugees have appealed to President Roosevelt to bring about the annexation of that Republic to the United States.

The Southern California Veterinary Association has declared war on bewhiskered dairymen. If it has its way, caretakers, milkers and milk deliverers in this country will have to go clean shaven.

The recent storm that swept over eastern New York destroyed many thousands of dollars worth of fruit trees near Rochester. Peach trees suffered the most.

It is now expected that the increase in taxable wealth this year over last year will be approximately \$80,000,000. There are yet about twenty counties to be heard from by the comptroller's office.

W. J. Bryan made six speeches at Wichita, Kansas. He declared that he was more interested in the success of the political ideas he advocated than he was in his own candidacy for an office.

Bishop William Benjamin Arnett, of the African Methodist Episcopal church, died of uraemic poisoning at Xenia, O., at Wilberforce university. He was a former member of the legislature.

Persons living on the rural route No. 1, of Paterson, N. J., have given the carrier, Peter Lyndecker, an automobile in which to make his deliveries. Lyndecker's route runs through the Preakness Mountains and covers twenty-seven miles.

The most severe earthquake shock in months was felt at Socorro, N. M., Friday afternoon. It is said that the shocks were felt continuously for ten minutes. Slight shocks were also experienced in Belen and Albuquerque.

E. S. Pettis, of Calvert, secretary of transportation committee of the Farmers' National Union, has applied to the commission to reduce Pullman fares to \$1.50 for lower berths and \$1 for uppers.

Secretary Root is to make a campaign speech in New York on October 22. The announcement was made by Chairman Sherman of the Republican congressional committee.

Vice President Fairbanks will speak at Tulsa, I. T., on October 23.

The National Association of Manufacturers has arranged to hold its annual business convention in New York during the week beginning Oct. 27. The members will come from all parts of the United States.

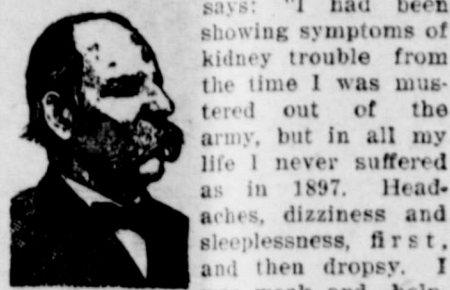
Alderman Hannah of Sherman, was kicked by a horse he was leading and his left cheek bone fractured.

Six-year-old Lyle Whit, son of Wayne Whit, who lives south of Bonham, fell into a well and was drowned before help could be rendered.

## A TERRIBLE EXPERIENCE.

How a Veteran Was Saved the Amputation of a Limb.

B. Frank Doremus, veteran, of Roosevelt Ave., Indianapolis, Ind., says: "I had been showing symptoms of kidney trouble from the time I was mustered out of the army, but in all my life I never suffered as in 1897. Headaches, dizziness and sleeplessness, first, and then dropsy. I was weak and helpless, having run down from 180 to 125 pounds. I was having terrible pain in the kidneys, and the secretions passed almost involuntarily. My left leg swelled until it was 34 inches around, and the doctor capped it night and morning until I could no longer stand it, and then he advised amputation. I refused, and began using Doan's Kidney Pills. The swelling subsided gradually, the urine became natural, and all my pains and aches disappeared. I have been well now for nine years since using Doan's Kidney Pills.



For sale by all dealers. 50 cents a box. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

Opals Found in New South Wales. Valuable finds of opals have been made near Walgett, N. S. W., one patch of stone worth £600 having been struck, while two miners found a stone for which they received £900.

Important to Mothers. Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA, a safe and sure remedy for infants and children, and see that it

Bears the Signature of *Chas. H. Fletcher* In Use For Over 30 Years. The Kind You Have Always Bought.

Treasures for the Louvre. Attention is called by the Travelers' Gazette to recent acquisitions by the Louvre, notably of a life size bust in chalk, primitively colored, of the hermit king of the eighteenth dynasty, Akhoumalon, or Amenophis IV., one of the strange figures in the long line of the Pharaohs. The bust is a remarkably fine specimen of the art of the period, and is well preserved. Besides this, there are four sepulchral urns in blue porcelain from the tomb of Rameses II. In these urns was found, besides funeral linen, certain organic matter, which is being chemically examined.

Kept Tax Receipts Long. Charles King, of East Liberty, a suburb of Pittsburg, is what might be termed a careful man. He has been a voter in the East Liberty district since 1857 and when asked on the last registration day if he had a tax receipt he pulled from a pocket tax receipts for the last 41 years. When asked by the registrar if he had any more he replied that if he went down deep into his "strong box" at home he might possibly find a few dating long back before the oldest member of the board was born. Mr. King is now 78 years old, having been born in Baltimore in 1828, removing to East Liberty in 1857. His first presidential vote was cast for John C. Fremont and his last for Theodore Roosevelt. He is a staunch Republican and as a contractor and brick manufacturer for half a century has contributed much to the upbuilding and growth of East Liberty.

NO DAWDLING. A Man of 70 After Finding Coffee Hurt Him, Stopped Short.

When a man has lived to be 70 years old with a 40-year-old habit grown to him like a knot on a tree, chances are he'll stick to the habit till he dies.

But occasionally the spirit of youth and determination remains in some men to the last day of their lives. When such men do find any habit of life has been doing them harm, they surprise the Oslerites by a degree of will power that is supposed to belong to men under 40 only.

"I had been a user of coffee until three years ago—a period of 40 years—and am now 70," writes a N. Dak. man. "I was extremely nervous and debilitated, and saw plainly that I must make a change.

"I am thankful to say I had the nerve to quit coffee at once and take on Postum without any dawdling, and experienced no ill effects. On the contrary, I commenced to gain, losing my nervousness within two months, also gaining strength and health otherwise.

"For a man of my age, I am very well and hearty. I sometimes meet persons who have not made their Postum right and don't like it. But I tell them to boil it long enough, and call their attention to my looks now, and before I used it, that seems convincing.

"Now, when I have writing to do, or long columns of figures to cast up, I feel equal to it and can get through my work without the fagged out feeling of old." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich. Read the book, "The Road to Wellville," in page. "There's a reason."

## BIG IOWA CORN RANCH

ONE FIELD EXPECTED TO YIELD 525,000 BUSHELS.

Is Largest in the World—Farmhouse on It Make a Small Town—Owner Passes His Winters in Chicago.

Odeboit, Ia.—When it is considered that there are such corn fields in Iowa as Adams' 15,000-acre ranch at this place, producing 525,000 bushels every season, and employing regularly 105 men, it is little wonder that the state of Iowa has a 400,000,000-bushel corn crop for 1906. Before long 200 men will start on the 15,000 acres of corn, which will all be husked from the shock. Then the stocks will be shredded for the fat cattle before spring.

This corn field is the largest in the world. The full 15,000 acres was planted with tested seed and is expected to yield an average of more than 35 bushels to the acre. This is considered a small average for Iowa corn this season.

Thirty-seven double stalk cutters will be used to bind the corn in the field this fall. Mules are employed almost everywhere to do the heavy draft work on the farm, and there are over 200 of these animals kept there constantly. Mr. and Mrs. Adams and family are at present at their winter home in Chicago and the farm is in the hands of its manager.

With the exception of a large number of feeders which are purchased every fall, no cattle are raised on the big farm except enough milk cows to keep the help supplied with milk. Last winter Mr. Adams had 6,000 sheep brought from his North Dakota ranch for feeding, and it is announced that he will do it again this winter as soon as the present yardfull of cattle has been marketed.

The affairs at the farm are conducted with as much system as in any large business office in this city. There is a main office and headquarters where the manager of the farm has his desk. It is here that Mr. Adams himself passes a large part of his time in summer. The farm is divided into sections, and each part is under the direction of a subforeman and worked by his force of men.

All the houses of the employes are located in one place near the center of the farm, making a small town. A schoolhouse is also erected here for the children of the workers. The farm and its methods are a revelation to the visitor. Adams is an enthusiast for good roads and all through the place he has built handsome driveways.

There is another farm in Sac county, Iowa, which contains 6,000 acres. The land there is not all tilled as on the Adams ranch, and hence it is not of so general interest to the public. It is, though, among the record-breakers in this state for acreage owned by one man in one contiguous piece.

## KINDNESS BROUGHT A FORTUNE.

Good Samaritan Receives One-Fifth of Rich Man's Estate.

Denver, Colo.—Because he befriended Dr. Albert R. Cummings, of Pittsburg, Pa., many years ago, W. F. Harris, of Denver, has received \$13,500.

In 1889 Harris was employed in a hotel at Cresson, Pa., where Dr. Cummings, a guest of the hotel, was taken ill one night, and Harris, an absolute stranger, attended him until he recovered. They met but once afterward, at a dinner table.

Harris recently received a letter from the lawyer of Dr. Cummings, stating that the physician had died and in his will bequeathed young Harris his entire estate, valued at between \$50,000 and \$75,000. Later relatives contested the will, and a short time ago a compromise was effected by which Harris accepted \$13,500.

Harris is at present salesman for a biscuit company.

## Anarchist Entertains a King.

Milan.—Papers here relate that some days ago the proprietor of a cinematograph asked permission to give an exhibition to the royal family. The king consented and the exhibition was held. The police have since discovered that the proprietor of the cinematograph was really a well-known anarchist, named Dutto. The king had paid him handsomely and shook hands with him. Dutto is being prosecuted for passing himself under a false name.

## Graphophones as Soul Savers.

Cleveland, O.—Graphophones will be used by the local Salvation Army for the purpose of saving souls. The plan will be put in practice during the coming harvest festival. Big graphophones will be installed at the doors of the headquarters, and the attention of passers-by attracted by sermons and sacred songs turned out on the machines. Each graphophone will have a guard and a contribution box.

## RUN DOWN FROM CRIP

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills Have Cured This Form of Debility in Hundreds of Cases.

"Four years ago," says Mrs. F. Morrison, of No. 1923 Carson street, South Side, Pittsburg, Pa., "I took a cold which turned into the grip. This trouble left me all run down. I was thin, had backache much of the time, had no appetite, my stomach was out of order and I felt nervous and unstrung.

"While I had the grip I had a doctor, but I really suffered more from the condition in which the influenza left me than I did from the disease itself. I felt generally wretched and miserable and the least exposure to cold would make me worse. I couldn't seem to get any better until I began to take Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. I very quickly noticed a benefit after I began taking them and they restored me to good health and strength. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are a wonderfully good medicine. Thanks to them I am now in fine health and have had no return of my former trouble. I recommend the pills to everyone who is ailing and take every opportunity to let people know how good they are."

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills cured Mrs. Morrison because they actually make good, red blood. When the blood is red and healthy there can be no debility. The relation between the blood and nervous system is such that the pills have a very decided action upon the nerves and they have cured many severe nervous disorders, such as partial paralysis, locomotor ataxia and St. Vitus' dance, that have not yielded to ordinary treatment. Their double action, on the blood and on the nerves, makes them an ideal tonic.

All druggists sell Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, or they will be sent by mail postpaid, on receipt of price, 50 cents per box, six boxes for \$2.50, by Dr. Williams Medicine Co., Schenectady, N. Y.

## WHAT WE OWE TO INSECTS.

They Are of the Greatest Benefit to Growing Flowers.

Prof. Darwin said that if it had not been for insects we should never have had any more imposing or attractive flowers than those of the elm, the hop and the nettle. Lord Avebury compares the work of the insect to that of the florist. He considers that just as the florist has by selection produced the elegant blossoms of the garden, so the insects, by selecting the largest and brightest blossoms for fertilization, have produced the gay flowers of the field. Prof. Plateau, of Ghent, has carried out a series of remarkable experiments on the ways of insects visiting flowers. He considers that they are guided by scent rather than by color, and in the connection he is at variance with certain British naturalists. Whatever may be the attraction in flowers to insects—as yet, it appears undefined—it is certain that the latter visit freely all blossoms alike, making no distinction between the large, bright-colored ones and the less conspicuous blossoms like those of the currants, the lime, the planetree, the nettle and the willow.

## Latest Fad in "Society."

The latest fad in certain eastern society circles is to be glum and cross. One phase of this more than usually absurd affectation takes the form of penning letters of introduction and this lack of consideration has roused family feuds in several cases. One wealthy young Italian, who is a member of one of the best Roman families, went to Newport this summer with many letters from prominent persons. But he has found it impossible to present them. "It is foolish to expect anything from social leaders these days and the stranger who asks to be received by letter has a hard time of it," said a young man whose letter to a society matron was ignored.

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Of all troubles hamanity is subject to none perhaps causes more acute distress and more frantic efforts for relief than many forms of itching skin troudles. We will tell you a remedy that rarely ever fails—Hunt's Cure. One box only is absolutely guaranteed any one case of itching trouble—no matter the name. If it fails, your money is cheerfully refunded.

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There is something radically wrong with the politics of a country which makes it necessary to organize "law-and-orderleagues" "good-government clubs," and things like that. The best law and order league in the world is a strong, well organized political party standing at the head of the party which holds the office, ready to take them away in case of failure to enforce the law. It is a pity that the republicans of the South don't eliminate the negro and organize themselves into a party of force and decency. We need two strong parties here, and we will never have but one as long as the negro is a political factor.—Henderson Times.

**Might Have Been**

When Shakespeare said: "Aye, there's the rub," we do not know for certain he was thinking of the itch. But one thing we do know—and know it twenty years' worth—Hunt's Cure will absolutely, infallibly and immediately cure any itching trouble that ever happened to the human cuticle. It's guarenteed.

Miss Jennie Jones and "Bob" Henry were married at the Jones mansion last night. The bride is a daughter of our Constable Jones, who made a good officer, and will undoubtedly be reelected next spring. He offers a fine horse for sale in another column. The groom runs a grocery store on Main street, and is a good patron of our advertising columns, and has a good line of bargains this week. All the summer he paid 2 cents more for butter than any other store in town. The happy couple left on the 10 o'clock train for Milwaukee to visit the bride's uncle, who is reported to have lots of money and Bright's disease. "Bob" certainly has an eye to business.—From the Cooleme, N. C., Banner.

**Chapped Hands.**

Wash your hands with warm water, dry them with a towel and apply Chamberlain's Salve just before going to bed, and a speedy cure is certain. This salve is also invaluable for sore nipples, itching piles and skin diseases.

For sale by B. R. Guice & Son.

Bob DuBose, the 13-year old son of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. DuBose, living about four miles north of town, died last Tuesday morning. The cause of death was black jaundice, with which he was stricken Monday. Bob was an exceptionally bright lad, and his untimely death is deeply regretted by a large circle of friends. The Messenger extends condolence to the grief stricken family.

**Be Charitable**

to your horse as well as to yourself. You need not suffer from pains of any sort, your horse need not suffer. Try a bottle of Ballard's Snow Liniment. It cures all pains. J. M. Roberts, Bakersville, Mo. writes: "I have used your Liniment for ten years and find it to be the best I have ever used for man or beast."

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**This Time of Peace**

In the first months of the Russia—Japan war we had a striking example of the necessity for preparation and the early advantage of those who, so to speak, "have shingled their roofs in dry weather." The virtue of preparation has made history and given to us our greatest men. The individual as well as the nation should be prepared for any emergency. Are you prepared to successfully combat the first cold you take? A cold can be cured much more quickly when treated as soon as it has been contracted and before it has become settled in the system. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is famous for its cures of colds and it should be kept at hand ready for instant use. For sale by B. R. Guice & Son.

**Announcement.**

Ed. Messenger:—Please announce that there will be singing at Oakgrove the second Sunday evening in November.

Everybody is invited to attend. All who wish to attend the singing on Saturday, conducted by Prof. Hogan will please come or send me their names.

J. A. Bean.

**Pneumonia Follows A Cold**

but never follows the use of Foley's Honey and Tar. It stops the cough, heals and strengthens the lungs and affords perfect security from an attack of pneumonia. Refuse substitutes. Sold by Carleton & Porter.

So lately dead, so soon forgotten. 'Tis the way of the world. We flourish for awhile. Men take us by the hand and are anxious about our bodies and laugh at our jokes, and we really think like the fly on the wheel, that we have something to do with the turning of it. Someday we die and are buried. The sun does not stop for our funeral. Everything goes on as usual; we are not on the streets; men laugh at new joeses; one or two memories still hold our names and forms, but the crowd moves to its daily circles and in a few days the waves sweep over our steps and wash out the last vestige of our foot-prints.—Merkel Mail.

**Dancing Proves Fatal**

Many men and women catch colds at dances which terminate in pneumonia and consumption. After exposure, if Foley's Honey and Tar is taken it will break up a cold and no serious result need be feared. Refuse any but the genuine in a yellow package. Sold by Carleton & Porter.

**No Hunting Allowed.**

Hunters will take notice and please do not trespass on Leaverton Bros. property.

Dave Leaverton.

**Agency Secured**

We have secured the agency for Orino Laxative Fruit Syrup, the new laxative that makes the liver lively, purifies the breath, cures headache and regulates the digestive organs. Cures chronic constipation. Ask us about it.

Carleton & Porter.

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Reed and Miss Cammie Thompson of Ioni were shopping in Grapeland Monday.

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As no one is immune, every person should remember that Foley's Kidney Cure will cure any case of bladder trouble that is not beyond the reach of medicine.

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**A FALSE IMPRESSION CORRECTED.**

In regard to the article which appeared in the Messenger several weeks ago concerning the Eastern Texas railroad, the Crockett Courier says:

"The Courier has frequently heard the statement made to the effect that Crockett let the big mill pass by because of a lack of enterprise on the part of its citizens and is glad of the opportunity to correct that impression. Crockett never had a chance at the mill, was never asked for a bonus by the Louisiana & Texas Lumber Co. or any other company seeking a location for its mill. After the land and timber along the eastern border of the county had been bought by the Central Coal & Coke Co., of Kansas City, the officials of the company came to Crockett and went out by private conveyance to their holdings, returned and took the train. They also visited Lufkin and made a trip out from there. It was their intention from the first to put their mill out where their timber was, and they would not consider any proposition. They visited Lufkin and Crockett with a view of finding the most feasible route for a railroad to the mill. They first decided on the location of the mill, which they wanted as near the center of their timber as possible. They then decided to build a road from Lufkin to the mill site and their reasons for this are obvious. Their timber was in close proximity to the Neches river and by building from Lufkin they penetrated the heart of it and were enabled to reach out by means of spurs north and south. That was one advantage over building from Crockett and another was that Lufkin had two independent systems of railroads, whereas Crockett has only one. As is well known, the Central Coal & Coke Co. is the parent company of the Louisiana & Texas Lumber Co. and the Eastern Texas Railroad Co. The Central Coal & Coke Co. never once figured on locating its mill at Crockett, and Crockett has never had a chance of bidding for the Eastern Texas railroad. As a matter of fact the Louisiana & Texas Lumber Co. never asked any bonus of Crockett, never made Crockett any kind of a proposition and never placed itself in a position to entertain any proposition from Crockett. The Eastern Texas was chartered to extend from Lufkin to Crockett and the survey has twice been run from Kennard to Crockett. Crockett has held several enthusiastic meetings and tried to get in touch with the Eastern Texas, but has never been able to do so. The Courier believes it can say for the business men of Crockett that they stand ready to subscribe liberally to a fund the object of which would be to secure an early extension of the road."

It does a dead person very little good to plant flowers over the grave, although it may have a tendency to soothe the sorrow and grief of relatives. It is better to strow flowers along the pathway of the living.

Palestine is figuring on a street carnival for the near future, so reports say.

Even the dullest mind can comprehend when you say, "Grapeland is a good old town."

Hold onto your cotton with the tenacity of a bull dog and 11c is your 'n—some day—may be.

Every vote counts next Tuesday and if you do not vote you fail to do your duty.

First, square yourself with the world, then everything will not look so crooked.

It is better to set a good example and let the other fellow follow it than to try to tell him how to follow a good example.

Watch Grapeland. The town has an interesting past, a prosperous present and a future that is dazzling with unlimited possibilities.

It is well to remember that a poll tax receipt is required to vote in a general election. The law says:

"You will be required to present to the election officers your poll tax receipt or certificate of exemption (when one is required) in order to vote in a general election, regardless of whether you are voting in a city of 10,000 inhabitants or not."

**A Resolution.**

We, the undersigned citizens of Grapeland assembled, believing that there is a bright future for our town, and being willing to co-operate in its improvement and development, therefore,

Resolved, That each of us having streets or alleys, enclosed, or lots or parts of same belonging to the New York & Texas Land Co., or their successors, do hereby agree that on or before six months after this date, Oct. 29, 1906, that we will remove wire fences or any other obstructions that we may have on same. Also use our influence and best effort for the full enforcement of this resolution, believing that for the future good and development of the town it will need all of its streets and alleys.

F. A. Faris, S. E. Howard, B. R. Eaves, Brince Dickson, R. B. Edens, F. C. Woodard, J. J. Brooks, J. J. Guice & Son.

Miss Louie Wright, who is teaching school at Jones school house, spent Sunday afternoon in the city as the guest of Miss Lucile McCarty.

Mrs. J. E. Morgan and children of Eagle Pass passed through Saturday en route to near Crockett to visit relatives. We presume Bro. Morgan will show up some time soon.

Sam Spruill came in one day last week and is visiting his parents and many friends. Sam is now in San Angelo engaged in the painting and contracting business, and says he is prospering.

Earnest Dickson, son of Brince Dickson, and Will Herod, a little negro boy, had a fight last Saturday and Earnest hit the negro on the head with a brick-bat. The skull was fractured, but he will recover.

W. E. Hollingsworth came in Friday night and spent until Sunday seeing his friends and relatives. Accompanied by his wife, he left Sunday morning for Galveston where he has a good position with the railroad.

**"GET IT FROM FARIS."**



GIESECKE'S GEESE

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"I've been there before, And heard parents roar, About school shoes that Always wore through; I can give them a tip, There is one that wont rip It's the Giesecke Red Goose Shoe."



**GIESECKE'S RED GOOSE**

SCHOOL SHOE

Vamps and quarters fastened with the zig-zag stich. Guaranteed not to rip.

We Carry a Full Line of  
**Giesecke Key Brand Shoes**  
For Men, Women and Children.

**CLOTHING**

These crisp chilly days suggest a new overcoat and a suit of winter clothes. We were never better prepared to supply your needs in this line. Garments are stylish and serviceable. Get it from Faris.

**FURNISHINGS.**

We are showing the nobbiest line of shirts, underwear, hosiery, neckwear, handkerchiefs, &c. ever exhibited in Grapeland. When you see them the desire to buy will be irresistible. Get it from Faris.

**DRY GOODS.**

We are anxious to have everybody in Grapeland and vicinity inspect our new fall stock of Dry Goods. That new dress pattern, a little "different" from your neighbor's, is here. Get it from Faris.

**GROCERIES**

We please here, too. Those nice pickles tempt the appetite; that extra fine flour, so pure and sweet, makes excellent bread; the aroma of the fine coffee is delicious. Sugar, rice, lard, salt, syrup, etc. Get it from Faris

**F. A. FARIS**

THE GIESECKE SHOE MAN  
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WE SELL McCALL PATTERNS

**Notice to Hunters.**

No hunting will be allowed in my fields and pastures. Remember this and avoid trouble. D. W. HARMON.

**FOR SALE.**

Twenty-five acres of choice unimproved land, just a half of a mile from the depot in Grapeland. It joins Dr. Woodard's land on the south and faces the right of way of the I. & G. N. railroad on the east, and is beautifully situated for a desirable homestead. Just the place for the man who wants a good home convenient to town, with fine school and church privileges. If you are interested, see W. S. Johnston, Grapeland, Texas.

A. N. Edens has been appointed city marshal by the city council and early Monday morning he had the streets hands out and doing things. The streets and alleys have been thoroughly cleaned and it is to be hoped that they will be kept in this condition. After they are once cleaned it will be an easy matter to keep them so.

Mr. W. P. Kyle returned from Crockett last Friday, where he has been for several days as a grand juror. The grand jury has adjurned for this term of court. Twenty-nine bills were returned—22 felonies and 7 mis-demeanors. This looks like Houston County is getting good, so says Mr. Kyle.

**We Are Ready For You.**

When you come to town call at our store and look over the many bargains we have to offer you in:

**Clothing.**

We have a very large assortment of clothing this fall. We have the latest styles and at prices that are surprisingly low.

**Courtney's Full Vamp Shoes.**

We are sure this is the best line of Shoes handled in Grapeland. They are thoroughly reliable and honestly made. Try a pair and you will like them.

**Tims & Sheridan**

The Merchants Who Appreciate Your Patronage.

SEND YOUR JOB WORK TO  
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IF YOU WANT IT DONE RIGHT  
WRITE FOR PRICES. WE CAN SUIT YOU.

### A String Tied to it

When you buy a 25c box of PORTER'S LIVER INVIGORATOR, and you get it for 15c, you have a string tied to your money and you have the other end. If not satisfactory, does not give you as good results as any Liver Regulator, you can bring it back and get your money.

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A 75 cent can of wagon or buggy paint will make your wagon or buggy look new and last probably a year longer.

Brushes? Plenty

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#### LOCAL NEWS.

Prosperity flour \$1.10 at Lee Clewis'.

Miss Flora Alice Sullivan visited in Palestine Saturday.

Wear Star Brand Shoes and you will walk on Stars.

Mr. N. C. Tims of Augusta was in town Monday.

Take your green hides to Darsey and get cash for them.

Buy the best flour from F A Faris.

Buy saddles and leather goods at Darsey's.

F. L. Buckalew and family of Waneta, have moved to our town. We welcome them among us.

Take your hides and bees wax to Geo. E. Darsey.

Buy White Wolf Flour from Tims & Sheridan.

Geo. E. Darsey buys more hides, bee's wax, chickens, eggs, turkeys and peas than anybody in Houston county. Take yours to him if you want the top of the market.

Buy your groceries from Darsey.

A large assortment of cakes and jumbles on display at the Bon Ton.

Bargains in every department at Darsey's.

F. A. Faris wants to buy your cotton, chickens, eggs, bees wax, ducks and turkeys.

Rev. G. S. Rosser of Ballinger (formerly of Weches) was in town this week.

Some rare bargains in men's and youths' clothing:

\$10.00 suit for \$7.43. New lot of boys' black claw worsted suits, sizes 30 to 35, worth \$10.00, going at..... **\$7.48**  
F. A. FARIS.

Sell your produce to Darsey.

Some new saddles at Shipper's.

Buy Trunks from F A Faris.

Buy your fall and winter goods from Darsey.

Best line of men's and youths' pants in town at F. A. Faris'

There is lots of candy in town, but the Bon Ton has the best.

Mr. J. E. Hollingsworth was in Crockett a few days this week as one of the finance committee.

All kinds of fruit at the Bon Ton.

Buy your dress goods, flannels, outings, boots, shoes, hats, caps and trunks from F. A. FARIS.

Wright's Health Underwear—the best that is made.  
Tims & Sheridan.

Another big lot of dry goods, dress goods and notions just received at F. A. Faris.

Don't forget that we sell the Courtney Full Vamp Shoes—the best shoe made.  
Tims & Sheridan.

When you begin to prepare for Thanksgiving remember that the Bon Ton keeps all ingredients for cakes, ect.

#### Boys Clothing.

All sizes of boys clothing at Darsey's. Bring the boys in and let us fit them up it won't cost much.

Henry Roberts, a negro employed on the ranch of Nunn & Hill, southwest of Crockett, was found dsad. The negro had been struck on the back of the head with a club and his neck broken. Turner Williams and Lizzse Jones two other negroes, were arrested and put in jail.

You will find anything in the FURNITURE line at Darsey's. He has iron bedsteads, wood bedsteads, bureaus, dressers, book cases, kitchen safes, tables, bed springs, chairs, mattresses, matting, window shades, etc.

Go to Howard's for groceries.

Odell Faris and Sam Howard went to Crockett Sunday.

Buy Prosperity and Sweetheart Flour from Lee Clewis.

Good tobacco 25c per pound at F. A. Faris'.

New Ribbon cane syrup at Howard's. Close prices, by the barrel.

If there is any thing in furniture you need go to Darsey's and you will get it.

Will Gainey came up from Houston Saturday and is visiting his parens east of town.

One car of fancy high patent flour just received at F.A.Faris'. In wood or sacks.

Mrs. J. O. Edington and little Lorene left Sunday for Tyler to visit relatives.

Lee Clewis wants all the beef hides and bees wax. Pay cash strictly.

Mrs. Campbell returned to her home in Palestine Sunday, after a few days visit to relatives here.

Lee Clewis wants your beef hides and bees wax. He will pay spot cash.

#### You Can Buy.

The genuine Baker Perfect barb wire from Darsey at 3 cts.

Mrs. Geo. Scarbrough and children returned from a short visit to Palestine Sunday.

Buy your Air tight heaters, elbows and stove pipes from Shipper.

Mrs. G. E. Whitley and little grandson, Atwell Whitley, visited in the city Saturday and Sunday.

If the shoes that you have been wearing are not as good as they ought to be, buy a pair of the Brown Shoe Company's Star-5-Star shoes. They will give you satisfaction. Geo. E. Darsey.

Mr. E. F. Dunham informs us that everything is in readiness to begin making up the cane crop and work will begin in a few days.

#### Big Lot of Stoves.

We have the largest assortment of stoves ever shown in Grapeland. Every stove a perfect cooker at prices from \$7.00 to \$35.00. Geo E Darsey.

#### Grapeland Singing School, J. F. Nalton, Teacher.

If you want better music in your church and Sunday school you should see that you are well represented in this school. Special attention will be given to voice culture.

#### Men's, Boys' and Children's Clothing.

You will not find a better assortment of men's, boys' and children's clothing any where than at Darsey's. He can fit you up in any price suit that you may want. It will pay you to see him for Clothing.

New lot of waistings and dress goods at F. A. Faris'.

Miss Jewel Taylor is visiting in Oakhurst.

Buy Prosperity High Patent Flour from Clewis.

Crockery, glass ware and table cutlery at Darsey's.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Guice went up to Palestine Monday.

New groceries all the time at Howard's.

Buy Walk Over shoes from Shipper.

Gus Porter was in Crockett Sunday.

Preston Lively was down from Palestine Sunday and spent the day at Augusta.

Shipper has the best line of children's reafers and ladies jackets in town.

If your stock or fowls are not doing well, try a box of Rex Stock and Poultry food. Sold at Howard's. Samples given away.

Rev. V.L. Graves of Oakwoods filled the pulpit at the Christian church last Sunday mornins and night.

See our line of domestics, outings, flannels, gingham and dress goods if you want the best for your money. Geo.E.Darsey.

We are glad to report that Miss Mattye Lee Spruill is recovering from a prolonged attack of typhoid fever.

If you want shoes that will give you comfort, good service and value received for your money, buy the STAR-5-STAR brand of Shoes. Sold by Geo. E. Darsey.

Cut this out and take it to B. R. Guice & Son's drug store and get a free sample of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. For biliousness and constipation they are unequalled. They improve the appetite, strengthen the digestion and regulate the liver and bowels.

#### Did You Ever

Wear a Schloss Bros. suit? If not you ought to. You will look better, feel better and do better. NONE BETTER than Schloss Bros. Sold by Geo. E. Darsey.

Good for everything a salve is used for and especially recommended for piles. That is what we say of De Witt's Witch Hazel Salve. On the market for years and a standby in thousands of families. Get DeWitt's. Sold by Carleton & Porter.

WANTED—Young men, we have the contract to furnish operators for the new railroad under construction from McKinney to points in New Mexico. Positions guaranteed. Notes accepted for tuition.  
TELEGRAPH COLLEGE,  
McKinney, Texas.

We can fill your bill complete. Compare our prices with prices from other houses and from other towns and you will say that ours are the cheapest. No trouble for us to compare prices, show goods and give samples if you want them. Yours for business,  
Geo. E. Darsey.

#### Killed Over Crap Game.

Crockett, Texas, October 30. —John Pickett shot and killed another negro by the name of "Sandy" Sunday night on the Douglass farm in the southwest part of the county over a crap game. Pickett came in yesterday and gave himself up and was placed in jail, having failed to give bond.

Now is the time to buy flour. A car load of Oriole, White Wave, Electric Light and White Dove to arrive this week. Nothing better anywhere. Get our prices.  
Geo. E. Darsey.

#### Stop that Cough.

If you have a cough, cold, sore throat, or chest, don't delay a moment, cure it. Simmon's Cough Syrup is a sure remedy. It makes you well.

## FREE! FREE!

On Christmas Eve day at 3 o'clock p. m. we are going to give away

### TWO LARGE LAMPS FREE

For Every \$1 Cash purchase you get a chance at the Lamps. Come one, come all, and get a chance.

We have what you want to buy in groceries, dry goods, flour and salt.

We always pay the highest market price for your produce and sell goods just as cheap as you can get them anywhere. Try us.

**J. J. Guice & Son.**

## NOTICE!

We carry a fine line of drugs, chemicals and standard patent medicines. We buy direct from large chemical laboratories and buying for cash we are enabled to get the lowest prices, besides always being sure of obtaining PURE and FRESH DRUGS. We are not under enormous expenses and can sell you goods and fill your PRESCRIPTIONS CHEAP. Farmers' trade is especially invited. We are constantly receiving new articles that come within our line of business. If you see a medicine advertised and want it we will gladly get it for you if we haven't it in stock.

Your patronage is always appreciated and no matter how small your purchase may be, rest assured it will be our constant aim to sell you the best goods that can be obtained at reasonable prices. Respectfully,

**B. R. GUICE & SON,  
DRUGGISTS.**

**Advice Not Wanted.**

One reason that boys and girls are often doing things that they ought not to do, unknown to their parents, is because their parents will not allow themselves to be told by friends of any misconduct of their children. Sometime ago an officer of Stephenville saw that certain sons and daughters were following lines of conduct which he thought the parents ought to be warned. He undertook to befriend two of the fathers by giving them an idea of the whereabouts of their children when out of parental presence. He narrowly escaped two fights. Another man undertook to do kindly service to another friend in this way. He lost a customer and made an enemy. Officers have no desire for fights, and business men are not fond of losing customers, and this is why that so often the misconduct of their children is not known to the parents.—Stephenville Empire.

**There's No Use**

talking, you can't beat Herbine for the liver. The greatest regulator ever offered to suffering humanity. If you suffer from liver complaint, if you are bilious and fretful, its your liver, and Herbine will put it in its proper condition. A positive cure for Constipation, Biliousness, Dyspepsia and all ills due to a torpid liver. Try a bottle and you will never use anything else. Carleton & Porter.

A Central West preacher invited men to attend church in their shirt sleeves. It is reasonable to suppose that God cares less about coats than the tailors. It is the tailor that insists on men wearing three or four thicknesses during the heated months. We need dress reform for men in this country, and we need it badly. Would there were more brave souls like this preacher.—Ex.

Here is our condensed opinion Original Laxative Cough Syrup: "Nearly all other cough syrups are constipating especially those containing opiates. Kennedy's Laxative, (containing) Honey and Tar moves the bowels. Contains no opiates. Conforms to National Pure Food and Drug Law Sold by Carleton & Porter.

The busy men and women of the world are they who have attained to greatness. Many such have endured hardships and practiced rigid economy to enable them to meet the demands of a large family and the greatest men this country has produced have been men who labored with hands and brain, after acquiring a competency, remembering years that are gone, admit that their working years were their happiest years.—Mt. Pleasant Times.

There is a beautiful old legend that at creation's dawn an angel came down to earth seeking something to take back to Heaven. It returned with a bouquet of flowers, a baby's smiles and a mother's love. When it reached the pearly gates of paradise the flowers had withered, the baby's smiles had vanished, but the mother's love was found to be as pure and eternal as the waters that flowed by the heavenly throne, and all the angels exclaimed: "There is nothing on earth pure enough for heaven but a mother's love." What a sublime thought and holy moral this old legend teaches to moral creatures.—Ex.

Need a good cathartic? A pill is best. Say a pill like DeWitt's Little Early Risers. About the most reliable on the market. Sold by Carleton & Porter.

**"Backbone."**

Haven't you depended upon clothes, upon appearances, upon introductions, upon recommendations about long enough? Haven't you leaned about long enough on other things? Isn't it about time for you to call a halt, to tear off all masks, to discard every thing you have been leaning on outside of yourself, and depend upon your own worth?

Haven't you been in doubt about yourself long enough? Haven't you had enough unfortunate experiences depending upon superficial, artificial, outside things to drive you home to the real power in yourself? Aren't you tired of lending and borrowing and depending upon this thing and that thing which have failed you?

The man who learns to seek power within himself, who learns to rely upon himself, is never disappointed; but always will be disappointed when he depends upon any outside help. There is one person in the world that will never fail you if you depend upon him, and are honest with him; and that is, yourself.

It is the self-reliant man that is in demand everywhere.—O. S. Marden in "Success Magazine."

"For years I starved, then I bought a 50 cent bottle of Kodol Dyspepsia Cure, and what that bottle benefitted all the gold in Georgia could not buy. I kept on taking it and in two months I went back to my work as machinist. In three months I was as well and hearty as I ever was. I still use a little occasionally as I find it a fine blood purifier and a good tonic. May you live long and prosper."—C. N. Cornell, Roding, Ga., Aug. 27 1906 Kodol is sold here by Carleton & Porter.

A Michigan wife who eloped with her husband's best friend, was surprised to receive by mail her false teeth neatly wrapped in a rag. An accompanying note from her deserted sponesaid: "In your haste to escape you overlooked these teeth. I am sending them appropriately wrapped fearing lest without the teeth you could not chew the rag and might be lonesome."

Give children a remedy with a pleasant taste. Don't force unpleasant medicine down their throats, Kennedy's Laxative (containing) Honey and Tar is most pleaeant to take. Children like it, and as a relief for colds, coughs, etc., there is nothing better. No opiates, Conforms to National Pure Food and Drug Law. Sold by Carleton & Porter.

The offices in the South have always been the property of the superior race, with the exception of the reconstruction period and they always will be. The white republicans will not dare dispute this assertion. Then why in the world will any party count the negro vote?—Henderson Times.

The best treatment for indigestion and troubles of the stomach is to rest the stomach. It can be rested by starvation or by the use of a good digestant which will digest the food eaten, thus taking the work off the stomach. At the proper temperature, a single teaspoonful of Kodol will wholly digest 3,000 grains of food. It relieves the present annoyance, puts the stomach in shape to satisfactorily perform its functions. Good for indigestion, sour stomach, flatulence, palpitation of the heart and dyspepsia. Kodol is made in strict conformity with the National Pure Food and Drug Law. Sold by Carleton & Porter.

**School Notes.**

New students keep pouring in. The enrollment is now 186 pupils. Herman Beazley who has been sick at his home at Reynard is again with us.

We need another stove flue more than anything else. We have called long and loud for this one simple necessity but our call seems an ineffectual wail.

Mattie Spruill has been absent more than a month on account of a protracted siege of fever. We are glad to learn she is doing well at present.

Students who make a general average of G (80-90) with not less than G in either department or attendance are entitled to the honor roll. This roll for the month just closed is as follows.

Tenth Grade: Sam Herod, Warner Eaves, Dudley Eaves, Carl Sory.

Ninth Grade: Balis Dailey, Columbus Woodard, Murdock Darsey.

Eighth Grade: Porter Fulton, Ima Davis, John B. Selkirk, Luna F. Hollingsworth, Chester Owens.

Seventh Grade: Mollie Fulton, Annie Lou Browning, Dora Leaverton, Lewis Sory, Edgar Brooks Lee Darsey, Addie Eaves, Eva Lou Faris, Joe Hill, Inez Haltom, Stella Lively.

Sixth Grade: Maud McCarty, Martha Yarbrugh, Fannie Mae Woodard, Orie Sue Howard, Dottie Guice, Ethel Pelham, John R. Owens, Flora Horne, Ida Horne, Ethel Guice, Mary Taylor, Speer Darsey.

Fifth Grade: Annie Rainey Hollingsworth, Esther Davis.

Fourth Grade: Campbell Lively Susie Springman, Lewis Murdock

Third Grade: Bailey Taylor, Murdock Murchison, Winnie Davis.

Second Grade: Clarence McCarty, Broadus Woodard, Joe Alexander, Mae Brown, Effie Downs, Birdie Mae Browning, Esther Darsey, Burnie Williams, Edgar Dickson, Georgie Belle Richards, Luna Guice.

First Grade: Carrie Spence.

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**WHEN EGGS ARE SCARCE.**

**Ways in Which Housekeepers Can Economize in Their Use.**

The housekeeper expects eggs to be high at holiday time, just when she wants to make extra good things, but to offset this condition the cold weather allows more sugar and fat in food, and the lack of eggs is not quite so serious as it might be. When eggs are nearly 40 cents a dozen at the beginning of September, as they were this year in the large cities, the price has a decided influence on the daily menu. The first point in which to begin economy of eggs is in serving them as a substitute for meat. Something at less cost can temporarily be taken by giving the matter a little thought, although eggs are so staple a part of the usual breakfast as to come first to mind.

When eggs are scarce it is not necessary to make ten egg sponge or angel cake; neither is it wise to scrimp too much by using baking powder to take the place of eggs. If a recipe calls for a certain number, do not take out one or two and expect to have a satisfactory result, for the proportion of materials has been changed. It is greater wisdom to select a recipe in which the number of eggs is smaller. "No egg cake" is seldom satisfactory, but there are many good cakes made with but two eggs. Raised hot breads can for a time take the place of muffins and other breakfast cakes made with eggs, yet even here it may not be wise to entirely omit them, for a pan of light, feathery muffins will all be eaten, but if made without eggs two or three of the cakes are likely to be wasted. It takes but a small per cent. of waste in this way to turn cookery that was intended to be very economical into extravagance.

**SKIRT-HANGERS EASILY MADE.**

**Set Makes an Acceptable and Suitable Gift for Bride.**

A set of clothes-hangers makes an acceptable gift for a bride, a traveler or a college girl. The set consists of waist and skirt hangers—a dozen of each. The best waist-hangers are those of coppered wire, found at any furnishing store. They should be wound with narrow ribbon, finished with a tiny bow at each shoulder end. The skirt-hangers are easily made at home. Take an inch strip of pine wood. Cut it into eight-inch lengths. Wind these also with ribbon. Screw into the middle of the upper edge a fairly large-sized brass cup-hook, and two cup-hooks of smaller size near the ends of the lower edge to hold the loops of the skirt-band. Many closets row are provided with a small brass rod fastened across at a convenient height. The hangers are hooked on this. Closets sometimes have a shelf running across for the entire length. In that case three large cup-hooks can be screwed to the under side, to hold any sort of a rod, from brass to broomstick. It is astonishing what a number of waists and skirts can be hung without crowding on a rod four feet long.

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**Useful Hint.**

Some good samaritan of a dentist once told his patient that a pinch of baking powder in a cup of water, used as a mouth wash just before going to the dentist, would make the teeth much less sensitive. It sounds almost too easy, but anything that will mitigate the agonies that go with the dentist's chair is worth while testing.

**Not Altogether Smokeless.**

Smokeless powder throws off a faint haze which is clearly discernible through violet glasses.



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